

FINANCIAL TIMES

Strikers

vote to

prolong

dispute

By David Felton

Times for more than three weeks appeared remote last night after the 270 strikers

voted to stay out for at least

Members of the National Graphical Association (NGA)

involved in the machine-room dispute, which has cost the newspaper nearly £3m, were said to be solid behind their

union officials. They have launched a dispute fund with

collections starting among union members in other Fleet

Mr George Jerrom, NGA national officer, said his mem-

bers had been angered by a

letter from the company which

alleged that the association had

broken the bounds set by

responsible collective bargaining and allowed it to degenerate to one of irresponsibility and

potential destruction of hun-

secretary, posponed a visit to a conference in Oslo to stay in

touch with the crisis. He is

understood to have met the

The leading union person-alities in the dispute are due to

spend the weekend at a union retirement centre discussing

plans for a merger between the NGA and the other main print

union, Sogat'82. There was no

suggestion last night that the meeting in Sussex would form a

platform for moves to settle the

Optimism expressed earlier

this week by Mr Joe Wade.

NGA general secretary.

appeared to be ill-founded and

many issues of principle appear

still to divide the two sides.

There is disagreement on the use of binding arbitration if negotiations fail and over the

Mr Jerrom said there had

been little discussion at yester-

day's meeting of the strikers of

paper's senior executives.

Mr Len Murray, TUC general

dreds of other jobs".

another week.

Street offices.

The chances of an early breakthrough in the dispute which has halted the Financial

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Boat people Three years ago everyone knew about the "boat people", those pitiful refugees from the wars of South-East Asia. Today the exodus continues but the sympathy seems to have run out. William Shawcross reports.

High water mark Modern Times goes messing about in boat to discover just what is so special for riverbank folk about Henley Royal Regatta. Wimbledon

David Miller and Rex Bellamy report on the weekend matches and look ahead to the finals.

US budget setback for Reagan

The US Congress voted a budget programme to raise \$12 billion in new taxes in 1984 and cut by half the 10 per cent increase in defence urged by President Reagan

Publisher quits

Mr Mark Collins, the last member of his family to serve on the board of William Collins & Sons, the publishers, has resigned his directorship and will not become chairman and chief executive of Hatchard's, the company's Picadilly book-

Murder hunt

An intruder battered to death two elderly widows in separate flats at a house in Plymouth The police said the killings were vicious and cold-blooded Page 3

Sotheby ruling

Mr Alfred Taubman's buying of shares in Sotheby's, the auction house, has been curtailed by a ruling from the Takeover Panel

BL peace vote Workers at BL's Cowley body plant voted in a secret ballot to. accept the ending of washing-

up-time" at the end of shifts Back page Afghan promise

Eight days of indirect talks in Geneva between Afghan and Pakistani delegations ended with what UN officials called "substantial progress".

Coroner's alarm A coroner looking into the death of a women near Pirbright firing range said he was amazed

that boundary boards were obscured. Jury's visit, page 5 Narayan guilty

Mr Rudy Narayan, the black rights barrister, has been found guilty of professional misconduct by the Bar Disciplinary Tribunal and ordered to be suspended for six weeks

Chile strike

Chilean labour leaders yesterday claimed the national strike a success, but most people went to work normally -unaware of it because of strict media censorship

Banker riddle

than a year that the Govern-ment has banned a British Mr Dennis Skinner, the British banker who died in a fall in company from complying with US legal demands. In the Soviet Moscow a week ago, was desperate to leave the Soviet Union eas pipeline dispute, John Brown was ordered not to

Backing for PR

Mr Piet Dankert, President of the European Parliament, urged Britain to consider introducing proportional representation for next year's elections for the European Parliament

Auction record

authorities that their action A painting by James Tissot of his mustress was sold at Christie's for £561,600, a record the intergovernmental agreement known as Bermuda Two. for a Victorian painting Page 19

Coe beaten

The ban raises the question of how far the British airlines Sebastian Coe was beaten in a 1,500 metres race in Paris last might be held to be in contempt night by Jose-Luis Gonzalez of at the US hearings and whether Spain. Coe was pushed off the action might be taken against track in the first 100 metres and their US property.

Leader page, 9 Letters: On the "think tank", from Sir John Hoskyns, and Mr David Howell, MP; mortgages, from Lord Young of Dartington: plant protection, from Dr F B O'Connor and Dr Max Wade. Leading articles: Legislation about rates; International Democratic Union; Youth training programme.

Features, page 8
Why the Alliance should be more than an affair; Italian election scandals; enter the video telephone; Bolivar and

the British. Obituary, page 19 General Henri Navarre, Senor Osvaldo Dorticos Torrado, Professor Geoffrey Bond.

Arafat ordered out of Syria as PLO support fades

With his guerrilla bases in carried leading articles which Lebanon under partial siege by indirectly referred to the PLO Syrian tanks, Mr Yassir Arafat beat a humiliating retreat from joined the plots against the Arab be too extreme a word - among Damascus yesterday after the nation". There was no mistak- Mr Arafat's own officers. Syrians ordered him to leave ing the message contianed in Speaking more like a testingent than the Palestinian the Palestinian. the country. The Syrian news agency Sana announced that the Palestine Liberation Organiza-tion leader had been "informed

tion leader had been "informed of Syria's desire for him not to continue coming here".

After again condemning Syria for "betraying" the Palestinian cause, Mr Arafat — grim-faced and refusing to answer journalists' questions — was bundled by his colleagues into his bullet-proof limousine and driven at high speed to Damascus airport where he immediately took off where he immediately took off for his base in Tunis. Syrian sources said that he had also been forbidden to return to Lebanon.

In one of the most extraordi-

nary days in the PLO's 18-year history, PLO officials also reported that gunmen staged an ambush on Palestinian military

Amid the drama of the last 24 hours, however. Two salient points should not be forgotten: the capacity of radical Arab lorries on the road between Damascus and Homs - deep inside Syria - killing at least four guerrillas and wounding

On the outskirts of the Syrian capital, Palestinian civilians at guerrilla movement. the Yarmouk refugee camp demonstrated in support of Mr Arafat, a show of solidarity that was swiftly dispersed by Syrian

Even Mr Arafat's most senior military commander, Abu Jihad (Khalii al-Wazzir) was told that he could not return to Syria from Lebanon.

The Syrians made no official statement but the state-con- away his condemnation of Syria trolled press in Damascus

Government

bans Laker

evidence

By Derek Harris

evidence for an anti-trust case.

In a related civil case in the US, the Laker liquidator is

pursuing a \$1.7bn suit alleging conspiracy to drive Laker

Airways out of business. British

Airways and British Caledonian

are among the airlines involved

The government action,

taken yesterday under the Protection of Trading Interests

Act, effectively bans any docu-

ments or information within

Britain from being made avail-

able for "any preceedings" in

But British airlines have

already complied with a Justice

Department subpoena last week

for US-located documents re-

investigation, according to a British embassy official in

The government ban would appear to cover the Laker

liquidator's action as well as the

Justice Department grand jury

hearing.
It is the second time in less

with American de-

Yesterday's action was an

nounced jointly by Mr Cecil

Parkinson, Secretary of State for

Trade and Industry, and Mr Tom King, Secretary of State

trying to persuade the US

should be dropped because of

which covers fare levels among

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for Transport.

airlines.

quested as part of the criminal

in this suit.

the US.

Washington.

leader as "the liar who has these words: Syria has now set out to crush Mr Arafat's

supporters. There were, however deeper implications. On Thursday night, Mr Afafat had travelled unexpectedly to Damascus from Lebanon to receive a personal letter President Andropov, who was trying to head the rift in the PLO and give his own support to Mr Arabat. The Russions are now likely to be as angry as the PLO at Syria's tratment of the Palestinian leader: and those American officials who have encouraged President Assad's. regimemay nowhave to reassess

Amid the drama of the last 24 hours, however. Two salient the capacity of radical Arab politicians soon to forget their most hostile words and resume "cordial and fraternal" relations and the support which the PLO mutiny has from within the ranks of Mr Arafat's own Fatah

It has become apparent over the past week that hundreds perhaps thousands - of young PLO men are now dissatisfied with their commander and suspect that he is prepared to trick them into accepting President Regans's Middle East peace plan. If Mr Arafat internal support crumbles. Then he may have to explain

Nevertheless, there can be no doubting the mood of desper-ation - perhaps panic would not

commander who defended west Beirut against the Israeli Army last summer, Mr Abu Jihad said in the Lebanese Bekaa town of Chtaura yesterday that if his men were again attacked by Syrian troops or PLO rebels, the order is every fighter to defend his place"

His words matched Mr met him amid darkened fields outside the northern Lebanese city of Tripoli at a night rendezvous this week, the PLO leader looked fatigued and several times raised his hands to his face when he objected to some of the questions I asked him about the mutiny and the future of the PLO.

described suggestions that his leadership might be in doubt as "a joke". Asked about Syria's denial of any involvement in the PLO mutiny, he said: "That's another joke".

Among his retinue there is a suspicion that yesterday's ambush on the Homs road assuming it occurred as the PLO say - might have been intended for none other than

Mr Arafat himself. Begins move

Mr Menachem Begin, the Israeli Prime Minister, has agreed to consider referring the doctors' pay dispute to arbitration, in a move to end the strike

and return to Damascus. Conservatives of the world unite

By Henry Stanbope, Diplomatic Correspondent

right-wing answer to the Socialist International. It would be, The two airlines have been facing subpoenas in a US Justice: Department investi-gation, which is collecting she hoped, "not an empire, but a great dominion of mind and

International, it brings together the European Democrat Union, founded in 1978 and the Pacific Democrat Union which began

life less than a year ago.

Rarely has the founding of a political body been attended by such a galaxy of leaders from the right and centre-right; Mr George Bush, the US Vice-President, Chancellor Helmut Khol and Herr Franz Josef Strauss of West Germany, M Jacques Chirac, the Gaullist Mayor of Paris and some 15 other party leaders, some in power and some not so lucky, filed into the grand ballroom of the Inter-Continental hotel to sign the IDU charter.

The declaration of principles calls for the championing of a "free, open and democratic society which enables everyone to achieve his full potential, according to Dr Alois Mock of Austria who was elected chairman. He emphasized the union's support for the role of the family and for the encour-

agement of self-help and enter-Mrs Thatcher, first of a string of party leaders to speak at the opening said: "At its birth we can already claim the support of 150 million people - double the size of the Socialist Inter-

Mrs Margaret Thatcher, fresh national. It girdles the earth." Caledonian were ordered by the and Europe, turned yesterday to must, launch a vigourous an Government last not to transfer the rest of the world when she dedicated campaign to bring evidence from Britain to United helped to launch the interstance hearings arising out of the collapse of Laker Airways.

The two airlines heave hear to the collapse of Laker Airways.

The two airlines heave hear to the collapse of Laker Airways. help bring the benefits of economic prosperity to the

devoloping countries.
"If the Third World or parts" Dubbed the Conservative of it looked in the past to Moscow for economic aid and support they have largely ceased to do so. They have seen the new imperialism in operation in eastern Europe.

Mr Bush took the opportunity to defend US policy in Central America, a theme which is expected to dominate his current tour of Western countries. The US was providing military assistance to help to resist subversion by forces beholden to totalitarian pow-

He said: "The Soviet Union, democracy's main opponent has be contrast overrun and occupied Afghanistan and rained poisonous chemicals on the anocent peoples of both Afghanistan and South-East Asia. In Poland the Soviets have backed the brutal suppression of

human rights. "The Pope's visit proved that although the Soviets can sup-press rights they can never suppress courage.

Next came a press conference at which the IDU adopted the somewhat Kremlin-like tactic of demanding written questions in advance. Demand outstripped supply and at least one disgruntled reporter complained that his question had not been

Three die in motorway coach crash

the M5 motorway between and a heavy lorry were also them went down the embank-Bromsgrove and Droitwich involved.

injured were all in th bus, which

The bus ended up on its roof was on the regular motorway

and had been concertinaed service between the cities and

down one side. Most of the had lift Birmingham at 2.05 pm.

The dead, all elderly, and

Mr Brian Barnes, a lorry comfortable driver, said that the accident from the bus."

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Challenger | flight ends with a hug

From Trevor Fishlock New York

The space shuttle Chal-lenger completed its successful six-day mission with a perfect landing at Edwards Air Force base in California yesterday. It glided in over the Pacific after 98 orbits of the Earth and, 45 minutes after landing, the five blue-suited astronauts

emerged with broad smiles.
Sally Ride, aged 32,
America's first woman in
space, received an affectionate pat on her back from one of her crewmates, and a hug from

another. The Californian touchdown was the only disappointment of a remarkable journey. Cloudy weather forced a late change in the plan to land a shuttle for the first time at

Cape Canaveral. The good news is that the beer is cold," Challenger's crew were told by Mission Control. "The bad news is that it is 3,000 miles away in

The big public wecome was also in Florida, along with the

beer.
The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (Nasa) was looking for a Florida landing so that the expense and time involved in bringing the shuttle across country would be saved.

The preparation time for shuttle flights has already been reduced during the seven shuttle missions from 750 says to 63, but Nasa wants an even faster turn-round. The switch of landing places

gave the five Challenger astronauts an extra two orbits of the earth. Commander Robert Crippen fired braking rockets to slow the spacecraft from 17,400 mph and to bring it down from its 184-mile high

Commander Crippen, who landed the first shuttle, Columbia, in 1981, piloted the 100-ton craft in a wide loop over the Mojave desert before landing in a cloud of dust at 6.57am local time, 2.57pm BST.

nore than accounted for by higher oil deliveries and a big jump in imports of erratic items Army depot

By a Staff Reporter

multi-million pound fire destroyed a 10-acre storage warehouse at the Royal Ordi-nance Depot, Donnington, Shropshire, yesterday. No one was hurt.

A pall of smoke more than 1,000ft high could be seen for miles and flames leapt hundreds of feet. It took 140 firemen four hours to control the blaze.

The warehouse at Europe's biggest army stores depot held textiles, bedding, vehicle batteries and some other technical Two women and a man died. It was thought Mr Derek happened on the two-lane and 21 were injured, 12 Stagg, aged 50, of Worcester, the stretch of the motorway junc-seriously, when a Midland Red bus driver, had to brake hard in tions 4 and 5. He added: "When equipment. The base does not hold ammunition, other than small arms rounds for use in ite express coach from Birming- wet conditions when a car the bus briver braked because of ham to Worcester skidded and towing a caravan in front of the caravan in front, the bus rolled down an embankment on him jack-kniged. Another car just skidded broadside and own defence. Lieutenant Colo-nel Michael Chilcott said "explosions" heard by local people were the sound of the roof crashing in or containers

casting Victoria Crosses is kept at the depot, but was well away from the fire.

Import surge causes £552m deficit

By Frances Williams, Economics Correspondent

Britain's balance of overseas such as ships, aircraft and North Sea oil equipment. trade sank further into the red last month as imports soared to record levels. The latest official figures show a deficit of £552m likely to reflect restocking by last month, the biggest drop for industry gearing up for higher more than four years, after a deficit of £360m in April and a production, was offset by a fall in imports of finished manufactures, notably consumer goods. Nevertheless, Britain is now

surplus of £384m in March. The latest deterioration is due largely to special factors, but the underlying trends suggest that Britain's slow recovery from recession is already attracting large quantitles of imports, while exports

ave remained steady. This year the surplus on current account, including in-visible trade such as banking, insurance and shipping, has amounted to only £33m, compared with the Treasury's budget forecast for the full year of £1,500m, while the visible trade deficit has topped

£1,140m. The current account showed deficit of £302m last month from £110m in April, after taking account of an estimated £250m surplus in invisible

The Government was putting hrave face on the latest figures yesterday. Officials said that the rise in imports last month was

But the rise in imports of manufactures, especially con-sumer goods which are 9 per

abroad.

the pound

cent up by volume on last year's average, is more worrying On the foreign exchanges the news clipped just over a quarter of a cent from an earlier gain for

because industry needs to buy

in fuel and raw materials from

Elsewhere, a rise in imports

running the first deficit on

manufactured trade since the

The deficit on non-oil trade

has worsened sharply this year.

The volume of exports is

industrial revolution.

basic materials, which is

slightly lower than the average reported moves by the managefor last year, while the volume ment to produce a paper without the NGA. "If there is a of imports is 6.5 per cent higher. In value terms the decrepancy is more marked. Exports are 4 per cent up on last year, but colour of the Financial Times),

conditions for a return.

I think everyone realizes what the cost of imports has jumped the repercussions would be," he by 18 per cent, as the pound has It is expected that the NGA To some extent higher imports are the inevitable consequence of the economic upturn

will start a propaganda battle next week and is planning to produce circulars to counter letters from the management and advertisements the company has placed in newspapers.

In an advertisement in The Guardian yesterday the FT said that it was prepared to go to binding arbitration to settle the refused by the NGA. "The FT feels it has to stand firm," the advertisement said.

fire costs millions

bursting in the intense heat.

mess. There were little children Part of a bronze Russian crying for their mothers, and we cannon which is used for made an elderly couple comfortable on seats pulled



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Bitter-sweet day as Jordan beats Lloyd



Kathy Jordan: First services praised

By Rupert Morris It was a bitter-sweet day at Wimbledon yesterday as Chris Lloyd, three times women's champion and everyone's favourite daughter-in-law, was knocked out in the third round by the unseeded Kathy Jordan. The defeat of Mrs Lloyd, formerly Miss Evert until her marriage to the British Davis Cap player John Lloyd, overshadowed everything else

on a day when the weather forecasters were counfounded and more than 32,000 spec-

tators enjoyed almost a full

day's entertainment.

yesterday. Last night doctors

eared the death toll might rise.

injuries were suffered by pass-engers trapped at the back.

Under an ominous sky, play started later than scheduled when drizzle abated just after 2.30 pm. Mrs Lloyd emerged for what should have been an exercise cauter against her fellow American, Miss Jordan, aged 23, who had never beaten her before. An hour and forty minutes later she left a stunned No 1 court beaten 6-1,

It emerged afterwards that Mrs Lloyd was suffering from a suspected virus infection, which undoubtedly affected Mrs Lloyd, however, with

her to the Wimbledon public, refused to make any excuses. She said that her opponent had played great tennis and complimented her on the quality of her first service. Miss Jordan said after-

He added: "It was a bloody

wards: "I am a little bit surprised - surprised that I won the first set so easily. I wasn't surprised to be down four games to love in the second set, but I just wanted to kang in there and not go into the third set without winning any games in the second". What Miss Jordan did not

hours of themorning and has had t be given an anti-nansea injectin before playing. She looked drained and bleary-eyed after the match. Mrs Lloyd had been on course for the "grand slam" this year, having won the Australian, French and US

Open tournaments.

been ill repeatedly in the early

In eleven years of Wimble don, she has won the cham-pionship three times, been runner-up three times and The American Express.

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Yorkshire Ripper's wife joins protest at former police chief's memoirs

Mrs Sonia Szurma-Sutcliffe, the wife of the Yorkshire Ripper, yesterday joined in the mounting protest over the publication in a Sunday newspaper, beginning this weekend, of the memoirs of Mr Ronald Gregory, former chief constable of West Yorkshire, who led the hunt for Peter Sutcliffe. The Press Council will also

consider the matter, probably

Mrs Szurma-Sutcliffe said she was bitterly opposed to anyone making money out of her husband's crimes. In a state-ment through her solicitor she said: "I am against the principle of anyone making money out of this. I never have and never want to gain any financial benefit and I do not see why anyone should."

Although it was reported yesterday that Mr Gregory was to receive £40,000 from The Mail on Sunday for the three-part serialization, it was be-lieved last night that the figure is nearer £50,000. Journalists at The Mail on

Sunday yesterday rejected an appeal by Mr Jacob Ecclestone, deputy general secretary of the National Union of Journalists, not to "handle or promote any material" by or on behalf of Mr



available. He is being paid as a her daughter's death.

Consultant. Mr Kenneth Morgan

statement on Thursday by Mr Steven that the story it is to publish is about an investigation, and what went wroung during the course of it, rather than a salacious story of brutal

Mr Gregory, who lives in Wakefield, was said to have gone away yesterday. Mrs Doreen Hill, mother of the Ripper's last victim, has



Szurma-Sutcliffe: Matter of principle

It was said, on behalf of Mr written to the Home Secretary Stewart Steven, the editor, and to the Press Coucil accusing "There is no round figure Mr Gregory of "cashing in" on

council's director, said the letter had been received and its contents together with the general issue, would be con-sidered by the council's complaints committee.

The matter will present the ommittee with a difficulty since the council's quidelines specifically refer to the payment of "blood money" to associates and relatives of known criminals, not to people otherwise having a connexion, pro-fessional or otherwise, with a

Solicitors acting for Mrs Hill are considering sning Mr Gregory and the West Yorkshire police for alleged negli-gence and incompetence in the search for the killer if anything is published. They have told her there are no legal grounds for seeking an injunction to prevent the planned publication tomor-

In a question in the European Parliament next week, Dr Barry Seal, European MP for York-West, will call for new laws to stop former public employees profiting from infor-mation gained in their jobs.

Welsh-only minutes fox councillor

Mr Dafyadd Thomas, Plaid Cymru MP for Meirionnyd. Nant Conwy, has condemned the action of a Gwynedd community council which has voted to deny copies of council meetings in English to its only member who is not fluent in

cannot on the one hand argue for rights for Welsh speakers in mainly English-speaking areas while appearing to deny rights to English speakers in strong Welsh-speaking

The dispute arose after members of Penrhyndendraeth Community Council voted by a narrow margin to discontinue its practice of supplying Mr Alfred Ciano with English language translations of the minutes. After the decision Mr Ciano and Mrs Megan Franman, walked out

Mr Ciano, a Londoner who has lived in the village for 10 years, said yesterday: "I am very hurt by this decision

effort to learn Weish

"I am active in local nity projects and frequently begin meetings in the Welsh language. Unfortun-ately my command of the language is not yet sufficient to read the advanced Welsh in which the minutes are pre-

Dr Ieuan Parri, explained that as the council's official language was Welsh it had made a concession to Mr Ciano when he became a member four years ago.

Girl, 8, tells of moment she was shot



Shooting victim: Emma Breen recovering in hospital after being hit in the leg by a bullet.

By David Hewson
Emma Breen, the Surrey girl
aged eight who was hit in the leg
by a bullet as she stood in her school playground, yesterday described the moment she was

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hospital: "I felt as if something had smacked me very hard and I fell over. I thought that a stone had come up and hit me. It still stings a bit but I feel all right

She was taken to Frimley Park Hospital with what was thought to be a superficial cut. It was only when she was taken back the next evening that an X-ray showed the bullet.

Surrey police confirmed yesterday that it was a nine millimetre bullet of the type they were using for handgun

The girl, who was shot at incident. Camberley by what is thought "There

Mrs Ann Burn, the head teacher of the school said that teacher of the school said that the head banned pupils from surprised that something like this playing in the field where Emma Breen was hit. "We moved the children away from the said: "I am just relieved that school. I am just relieved that she is all right and I do not playing in the field. I did not think it is the sort of thing that allow them back in the grounds could happen again.
until the police had told me that Mr Brian Hayes, the chief

Mr John Breen: Welcomed closure of ranges.

Ministry of Defence to ban firing on all ranges throughout the United Kingdom pending a investigating into the

"There is something amiss to have been a stray round from that two incidents of this nature a range near Piroright, a mile can happen within the space of away was sitting in a wheelchair months. Until they find out yesterday recovering after what is going on there must be surgeons removed the bullet.

Mrs Ann Burn, the head Mrs Jenny Breen, the girl's

all firing on the ranges had been constable of Surrey, has called banned."

Mr John Breen, aged 35, the girl's father, said that he supported the decision by the for an investigation, which is being carried out by Detective Superintendent Raymond Bennett of the Hampshire force.

Jury sees death range

The jury hearing evidence at "It was one of the features where the incident happened.

They were told that the range was being used that day by the Third Bitn, The Parachute Regiment. Lt Willum Buckley, who had overall responsibility for the firing, said that it would be difficult to hit the hilltop if ne was firing straight down the

field firing range. Mrs Wenham was hit on Chair Hill and the officer said: by any of his soldiers.

the inquest on Mrs Sheila which marked where the edge of Wenham, aged 50, of Pine which marked where the edge of the danger area was. Nothing Wood, Sunbury, who died after being hit in the head by a stray bullet on April 20, yesterday visited the Pirbright firing range were set up I had in mind the safety areas."

He added that he did not think the flag on the hilltop could have been mistaken for one of those which marked the arc of fire on the range.

Asked by the coroner about strikes on trees in the closed battle area where live ammunition should not be used, he said they has not been caused

Two widows battered to death in their flats

From Craig Seton, Plymouth

Eighty detectives and more than 100 uniformed police officers are looking for a killer who battered to death two elderly widows as they sat in their amrchairs in separate flats at a house in Plymouth.

The police described the killing of Mrs Gwendoline Lloyd and Mrs Olive Spry, both aged about 80, as extremely vicious and cold blooded.

The Edwardian terraced house, in the Plymouth bedsitting room area, had not been broken into and nothing appeared to have been stolen. Detectives are considering the possibility that the killer might. have been known to the two-

A football pools collector raised the alarm on Thursday night after seeing one of the bodies. The police found both women with severe head injuries inflicted by repeated blows from a blunt instrument.

The last person to see the women alive was a home hairdresser who had called tosee Mrs Lloyd at midday.

The police are making house-to-house inquires and have spoken to pupils at Plymouth College, a private school immediately opposite the house, in Ford Park Road.

Mrs Spry owned the house, which she shared with her friend Mrs Lloyd. Mrs Spry, who lived on the upstairs flat. crippled by arthritis. Like Mrs Lloyd, she had a serious heart condition.

Neighbours said the women rarely went out and would never have opened the door to a stranger. Both warmin received meals on with a Even their friends had to a nock or ring the doorbell a specified number of times to be allowed in.

Mass Janet Fookes Conservative MP for Plymouth Drake, in whose constituency the murders took place, yesterday visited police headquarters in Ply

Yard tries to verify 'Vorticist' paintings

Rhodes scholar's £3m

By Lucy Hodges, Education Correspondent

A former Rhodes scholar is graduate hall, endow new ving more than £3m to the fellowships, extend its research

facilities and offer scholarships

for first-class British postgradu-

ates seeking management ca-

wide range of disciplines for

doctorates and other posigradu-ate degrees, and teaches man-

agement to undergraduate en-

gineers and metallurgists. it

provides special courses for senior and fast-rising executives

and specializes in specific topics

such as the management of

electronic information systems. Mr Templeton, now a British

management relevant to peop-

Lord Stott said that one of

the greatest sources of disturb-

ance, according to evidence, was the "application of steel

on steel" during the erection of

The Art and Antiques Squad come in with a group of at Scotland Yard is investigating the background to a group of drawings and paintings which appear to be fakes and nearly fooled Sotheby's and Christie's. They are by Vorticist artists. Britain's avant garde version of Cubism which had its heyday

Christie's had intended to hold an auction of Vorticist drawings and paintings next. week. The sale had been advertised but it was cancelled before the catalogue was printed. Sotheby's had two drawings in its sale on May 25 which appear to come from a similar source and were withdrawn before the auction.

Mr Francis Farmar, Christie's, said yesterday that a vendor from the provinces had

giving more than £3m to the

Oxford Centre for Management

Studies during the next few

years. In return the centre will

be renamed Templeton College

Mr John M. Templeton, who

was a Rhodes scholar at Balliol,

is making an unrestricted gift of

gove a further £2m so long as

the centre continues to develop.

He is president of the Temple-

ton Group of investment trusts.

has gained an international

approaches to management education. It undertakes almost

all the management teaching at

Miss Elizabeth Webster

(right) yesterday won her court

battle to stop noisy preparations for next year's Edin-

burgh military tattoo on the

castle esplanade, but prep-

arations for this year's tattoe,

which takes place in August,

can go ahead.

The judge also ruled that a

Scotswoman's flat was still her

castle, although, he said, an English judge had suggested that an Englishman's home

Lord Stott at the Court of

Session in Edinburgh granted

interdict to Miss Webster.

aged 25, a secretary, whose top

flat at 14 Ramsay Garden,

Edinburgh, is at the corner of

Under the court order the

tattoo policy committee is banned from preparing the

event in such a manner as to cause noise nuisance. The

judge said that evidence had left him in no doubt that in the interests of Edinburgh and of

Scotland as a whole it would be desirable that the tattoo

should be allowed to continue.

was no longer his castle.

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Oxford University.

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The centre, set up in 1965,

innovative

The centre is looking for management relevant more gifts with which to build a le's lives everywhere."

Building for Edinburgh

tattoo must be quieter

£1,3m in the next year. He will

after his parents.

Lines for the Poet

drawings. They were similar to the two portrait drawings in the style of Frederick Etchells that were withdrawn from the Sale.

Sale before Parker, chairman of The Poet Laureate had a train Sir Peter Parker, chairman of Christie's fook them with enthusiasm and began to plan a British Rail, said Sir John's special sale. The vendor said interest in trains and in the that they were inherited from British heritage had made him a his grandmother who was a friend of the Vorticists. Later he brought in a few paintings and poet's lines on railways: keeper of the nation's conit was those that raised Chris-The Old Great Western shakes The Old Great Western spins

tie's suspicion. The Old Great Western makes very sorry for my sins. One painting was examined most carefully, when unrolled it smelt strongly of size, a water-A special "Betjeman Pul-lman" with tickets costing £10, based paint had been used on travelled to Bedford and back to canvas which seemed surprismark the occasion. ing the paint, though

After the ceremony the poet's coloured on the surface, did not son, Paul, a music teacher in New York, said that his father appear to have absorbed any had always been very interested in trains and travelled by them whenever he could. "He liked the small lines which went from country stations". Sir John, who was in a wheelchair, was not well enough to make a speech. for management centre

Case against PC dropped

Police Constable Forsham, aged 21, of Court Hope Road, Walton, Liverpool who had been accused of ridin a cycle without due care after ar accident in which a man wa killed, was discharged by Mi Norman Wooton, a stipendair magistrate in Liverpool yeste

The prosecution said he ha been advised by the Director of Public Prosecutions to drop the

citizen living in the Bahanas, said: "I hope this gift will encourage others to play their David Martin to defend himself part in making Oxfrod a centre of excellenece in the sudy of

David Martin, who faces 14 charges including robbery, possessing firearms and attemptin to murder a policeman, conduct his own defence at h

Mr Martin, aged 36, of Marylebone, London, dispensed with the services of his barrister and solicitor when he appeared at the Central Criminal Court yesterday. The Recorder of London, Sir James Miskin, QC said his decision was "unwise"

Kipling's walled garden saved Villagers at Rottingdean, near

Brighton, have raised £50,000 to buy the walled garden of Rudyard Kipling's former home, the Elms, to prevent it being developed for housing. Rottingdean Preservation Society began campaigning two years ago when a property company applied for planning permission to build seven houses on the site.

Computer curb The Data Protection Bill

stands. That went on from early June, seven days a week, between Sam and Spm mill the start of the fattoo in August.
The judge said: "Lord Denning's suggestion in an English case that an English-Parliament was dissolved, will be reintroduced. It gives people the right to see and challenge man's home is no longer his castle cannot in my opinion some, but not all, information castle cannot in my op about them stored on computers. apply to a Scotswoman's flat."

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"The face of our most caring

a great deal to improve the

Agriculture Correspond

The Atlantic Salmon Trust is

concerned at the possibility of

Pacific pink salmon being introduced to British rivers.

Writing in today's issue of The Field, Mr Gerry Hadoke,

the trust's director, says that

Atlantic salmon ova, which are laid later, if both species

inhabit the same river, he says. Norwegian experience has shown that the homing

ability of Pacific salmon is

The purpose of introducing

"What must concern the

Atlantic salmon conservatio-

spite of apparently declining

runs in our rivers, the ministry

should consider allocating

funds to develop other species

which cannot ever be con-sidered a similar high-quality product." Mr Hadoke writes.

The Ministry of Agricul-ture, Fisheries and Food insisted yesterday that it was

merely considering ocean ran-

Renewed pledge | Old masters | 'Zero' abandons on preserving strong NHS

From Pat Healy, Social Services Correspond Harrogate

Mr Norman Fowler, Sec-meet government efficiency retary of State for Social targets, said Mr Fowler had Services, said yesterday that the used "weasel words" that left Government had no intention the future of the service wide dismantling the National open. Health Service.

A strong health service of the City and East London funded mainly from taxation Family Practitioner Committee, will remain the backbone of said: "The health service is up health care in this country", he for grabs. Mr Fowler avoided all told the annual conference in the contentious issues, such as Harogate of the National community care and pay in the Association of Health Authhealth service, and emphasized health service, and emphasized orities in England and Wales. the need for cooperation with

The NHS was absolutely the private sector which leaves indispensable to the provision the future of the health service of health care in Britain, and the open to doubt".

Government's commitment to Mr Fowler did reassure the Government's commitment to it was clear and unequivocal.

There has been a great deal issue. He promised that the of talk about hidden manifestos forthcoming circular on priva-and the threat of an attack on tizing cleaning, catering and the welfare state. That is simply laundry services would leave not true", Mr Fowler said, the decision to district health Much of the political debate authorities which would not be during the election campaign forced to contract out. had been "senseless, damaging had been "senseless, damaging ities to do more to present a

and unnecessary". rities to do more to presc It was the first important caring image to patients. health conference to be addressed by Mr Fowler since service is often seen as the election, but he failed to forbidding and sometimes reassure many health authority unwelcoming. If we are to tackle administrators and chairmen on the problems of delays in the Government's intentions treatment and the impersonality towards the NHS.

His statement did little to convince some of the 500 reputation of the health service".

delegates that the Government That emphasis was welcomed has no intention of changing to afterwards by Mrs Rachel Kelly, a different system of financing, in spite of his categoric denial.

A member of Oxfordshire Regional Health Authority. which has gone further than most in trying to cut services to of private health.

£25,000 for attack salmon by horse warning Mrs Joanne Starling, the By John Young

victim of an attack by a horse which was said to have a "Jekyli and Hyde" personality, was awarded £25,000 damages in the High Court for her injuries. Deputy Judge Denis Henry QC held that the five-year-old golding, Rami, had a "propensity to attack humans" when he was loose on the North Kent mmarshes, although he was well-behaved elsewhere.

The award to Mrs Starling mother of two, of St Luke's Way, Alihallows, near Roches ter, was against Rami's breeder and former owner, Mrs Irene Hodgeman, of Spinney Road, Alihallows, who had denied responsibility.

In his judgment, the judge said he had heard evidence that the horse had in the past attacked six people on Pilot Marsh, Alihallows, Mrs Hodgeman denied she had been told of the incidents, but the judge decided that the manner of the grazing land, had told he

On January 14, 1980, Mrs Starling was visiting her own pony when she heard Rami behind her. He reared up and one of his hooves smashed her right knee. While she was on the ground the horse stood over her, pawing and kicking her. She could no longer pursue her favourite sports of sailing, squash, tennis, walking, and

deal puts trader in jail

A market trader who admit-ted handling seven old masters valued at £10,000, which were part of the proceeds of a £750,000 burglary, was jailed by the Inner London Crown Court

The paintings were stolen from the home in Chelsea of Sir Ivan Chance, former chairman fo Christie's, last August and were traced to Donald McLean, aged 54, of Deventer Crescent, East Dulwich, four months

McLean, who said that he was offered the paintings for £15,000 and told he could sell them for £40,000, was sentenced to 12 months' imprisonment, of which nine months were suspended.

Fur protest

Fourteen people arrested outside the Savoy on Thursday night during a demonstration against the Fur Traders' annual linner were remanded on bail until July 22 by Bow Street Magistrates yesterday.

Woman freed

Mrs Janet Mills, aged 22, from Exeter, was released from Pucklechurch remand centre Avon, yesterday with a two-week cut in her sentence for shoplifting so that she could give birth to her baby outside.

Gunpowder trial

That emphasis was welcomed A boilermaker at Portsmouth naval base, Paul James, aged 22, of Leigh Park, was sent for trial by Portsmouth magistrates yesterday on charges of manuchairman of the National Association of Health Authorities, who said the better facturing and storing gun-powder, having a pistol without a certificate and stealing from personal treatment of patients was one of the main attractions

Ranching of Rider killed

Staff Sergeant Ray Woosey, aged 32, a member of the Army's motor cycling team, was killed in a collision at the Welsh international two-day trials event near Abbeycwmhir Powys, on Thursday,

Arrest inquiry

The Procurator Fiscal Edinburgh is investigating the case of Mr Anthony Anika, aged 38, who was admitted to Western General Hospital with injuries to his heart, pancreas the past bistory of introducing new species has not been happy or inspiring. Fungus from dead pink salmon eggs might well infect Atlentic salmon over which are and face shortly after being arrested on Sunday. Five police officers were also treated.

Woman burnt

Safety experts yesterday were nvestigating an explosion at the Haley Weller fireworks factory at Draycott, near Derby, in which Mrs Mavis Dobson, aged 51, suffered 70 per cent burns. Her condition was said to be

pink salmon would be to reduce imports, at present 75 per cent of all the salmon landed. Custody death Mr James Bateman, aged 54,

of Darwen Drive, Cambridge, who was detained by Parkside police on a charge of drunkeness on Thursday, was later taken to hospital, where he was found to be dead on arrival.

Police muddle

Magistrates rejected an application by Torbay police socia club for a drinks extension after the police licensing department objected on the grounds of insufficient information.

struggle for support against Nicaragua

San José, Costa Rica (AFP) - government front slong the Señor Eden Pastora, a former Costa Rican border, as the US-Sandinista hero who turned against the regime in Managua, cistas called the Nicaraguan has suspended his fight against the Nicaraguan army because of a lack of arms, food or money border. to supply his forces - and because of the West's apparent

failure to support him. His decision to suspend a struggle begun on April 8 also appears to reflect his group's olation, which comes partly Repeated trips by Senor from his refusal to form an alliance of circumstance with the right-wingers who are also

fighting the Sandinistas. The pernicious forces of the far right are seeking a return to the past", he said this week in a radio message to his forces, adding that the right-wing supporters of General Anastasio Somoza, the deposed former dictator, were trying to block his efforts in southern Nicaragua. His men were also facing

"Cubal intervention forces" Senor Pastora said, adding that Western aid had not been forthcoming, thus, he added,"we must pause and ponder the situation, to find the necessary economic resources for the development of the war, and for the future of armed

insurrection". Señor Pastora, also known as Commander Zero, gained fame for his fight against the Somo-cistas, which ended with his rush on the national palace in

August, 1978. But he became unhappy with what he viewed as an increasing effort by the new left-wing Government to restrict freedoms, and gave up his post as deputy defence minister in July, 1981.

In September, 1982, formed the Democratic Revolutionary Alliance with two other Sandinista dissidents, Alfonso Robelo and Fernando Chamorro. Last April, the alliance shifted from a stance of exiled pacifist dissidence to armed struggle.

That created a second anti-

Democratic Forces were already fighting on the Honduran

· But such claims did not reflect the alliance's difficulties in gaining cohesion and outside support. First, even before the hostilities began, Señor Cha-morro switched to the right.

Pastora and other alliance members to the United States and Western Europe failed to bring significant material sup-port for their efforts. His port soldiers soon began running short of supplies.

Meanwhile, his refusal to join the Somocistas he had fought for so long - which have allied with both Senor Chamorro and the Miskito Indian leaders - has made him increasingly isolated. Moreover, Costa Rica, want-

ing to retain its neutrality by trying to prevent armed clashes along its border, has declared Señor Pastora persona non erata in the country and has threatened him with arrest. MANAGUA-Nicaraguan rces bave killed 183 guerrillas in the Jalapa region along the frontier with Honduras in the

The possibility of a real clash between Nicaragua and Hondu-ras has increased in recent weeks because of aid which the Honduran Army has been giving to guerrillas during their incursions into Nicaragua

past days, a military source said

● PERULAPIA, EL SALVA-DOR, - Left-wing guerrillas have knocked out a bridge in a raid apparently aimed at drawing troops away form an army offensive in El Salvador's central San Vincente provice. An Army communique said the rebels killed 30 people, including civilians, in the attack on the Las Guaras bridge on the road between the towns of San



Back to jail: Henry Lucas leaving court in Texas yesterday

Mother-killer confesses to 100 more murders

Montague, Texas (Reuter) – Police are hunting for bodies in several US states after a former mental patient claimed he had killed about 100 women, mostlyrunaways and hitch-hikers. Henry Lee Lucas, aged 46,

who was freed from a mental institution in 1975 after 15 years' detention for killing his mother, made the claim after he was accused in court on Tuesday of murdering his woman employer.

A court official said that

police in several states were following up leads that arose from the statements of Lucas as to where a body may be. There are some diggings going ou."

He said officials had dis-

Lucas had provided details of the marders and a sketch of a victim. Police reported finding fragments of human bones in a wood-burning stove in Lucas's shack and unearthing the body of a teenaged girl in Denton County after Lucas told them where it was buried. Luces also said he killed a

young woman near Abilene early this year and cut off her head, police said. The decapitated body of a woman was found in a ditch near Abilene in February. Texas police were contacting authorities in 17 states where

Lucas claimed to have carried

Greeks will go ahead with Balkan summit

From Mario Modiano,

making plans for a meeting in Athens later this year of all Balkan countries, except Albania, to discuss, among other things, proposals for the cre-ation of a nuclear-free zone in the Balkans.

The meeting, initially at the level of experts, was proposed by Mr Andreas Papandreou, the Greek Prime Minister, in a letter to the leaders of the other five Balkan countries on May 17. He suggested that the agenda should be agreed through diplomatic channels. All the replies have now reached Athens.

Albania rejected the offer, arguing that so long as the other Balkan states belonged to military blocks the plan was not feasible. Bulgaria and Romania agreed fully with the spirit of the invitation and the procedure which eventually prorides for a summit meeting of Balkan leaders within 12 to 18 months to sign an agreement

Turkey said it supported any initiative for Balkan cooper-ation and peace, but reserved its full reply until it saw the full agenda for the meeting. Yugos-lavia declared it endorsed efforts to promote Balkan cooperation and saw the proposal for a nuclear-free zone in this context, as well as in the context of Yugoslavia's overall foreign policy, as a useful initiative – provided the Balkans could also be protected from outside nuclear attacks.

of the cause of nuclear disarmament, has repeatedly said that even if there is no agreement among the Balkan states his Socialist Government would expel all nuclear warheads stockpiled in Greece under Nato plans and American control.

Greece and Turkey are the only Balkan countries known to have such stockpiles, although Buigaria is said to have launching capabilities.

Rios Montt rule totters

Guatemala City (NYT) -President Efrain Rios Montt, of Guatemala, appears to be facing his most serious political challenge since he won power in a coup 15 months ago. According to politicians, diplomats" and church and

business leaders interviewed here recently, the key issue is Brigadier-General Rios Montt's promise to restore authentic democracy that he made after annulling the results of national elections in March 1982. He did so on the ground that the voting had been fraudulent. in the last few

pressure has mounted on the President to keep his promise, with both an Army general and Church leaders publicly petitioning him to get the military out of government. The petitioners are also demanding the election of an assembly to draft new constitution for his

Suicide in Havana Osvaldo Dorticos Torrado, President of Cuba from 1959 to 1976, has committed suicide. Cuban state radio said he shot himself at his Havana home, Renter reports. Señor Dorticos, who was 64, had been suffering from a painful spinal disease and depression after the death of his wife. Obituary, page 10

Montt Government continues to be challenged by a loosely unified guerrilla movement.

motives of a variety of special .were to fall from power. interests from extreme left to right, according to Guatemalans with rumours of a coup that the and foreign diplomats here. Economic, social and religious nation, which has known dictatorships for most of its so is the personality of the public stateent saying that no history.

President, an evangelical Christone in the Army was thinking of

flamboyant and pious at the same time. All the political parties are

against him, the merchants, against him, the internants, professionals and farmers op-gose him, he has alienated the Church, and this Army is divided, Señor Mario Sandoval Alarcon, head of the militantly far-right National Liberation Movement, said in an interview

If he does not call elections in civilian rule, while providing a party is wideley believed to be unifying theme for opponents of among those with the most to General Rios Montt, mask the gain if President Rios Montt

The capital has been so abuzz chief of the Guatemalan general staff, General Hector Mario

Russia rallies East block to close ranks on policy

Pravda yesterday called for that Communist parties which

closer cobesion and unity the Soviet block, strengthening speculation that the Warsaw Pact is preparing a policy-making summit. In a front-page leading article, Pravda referred to Presi-

dent Andropov's remarks at the recent Central Committee plenum on the need for "cohesion fontt Government continues the next two or three weeks, he be challenged by a loosely will be finished, according to should be an exchange of views. The calls for a return to presidential candidiate whose leading to "mutual enrichment" Western diplomats said the Warsaw Pact countries would have to coordinate their policies on a range of issues, including the impact of the Pope's visit to

> Although the Kremlin has maintained its silence on the Pope's visit to Poland, the

did not adhere strictly to Marxism-Leninism and strengthening their links with the masses tended to make 'serious miscalculations". At a session of the Supreme Soviet of the Russian Feder-

ation in Moscow yesterday, Mr Vitaly Vorotnikov was named Prime Minister of the Russian Federation, replacing Mr Mikhail Solomontsev, who became chairman of the party control commission at the plenum. Mr Vorotnikov, who is 57, is

an Andropov supporter and was Deputy Prime Minister of the Russian Federation until he was sent as ambassador to Cuba in 1979. Last year Mr Vorotnikov Union to spearhead Mr Andropov's anti-corruption campaign in the Black Sea town of Polish question is uppermost in Krasnodar. He became a candi-Soviet thinking. Pravda said date member of the Politburo

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Parkinson outlines role of government in promoting industrial expansion

QUEEN'S SPEECH

Mr Cecil Parkinson, Chairman of the Conservative Party, in his first speech in the Commons since being appointed Secretary of State for appointed Secretary of State for Trade and Industry, sought to reassure Post Office workers about

their future job prospects.

Resuming the debate in the Commons on the Queen's Speech, he said the Post Office Engineering Union was unnecessarily concerne about future prospects for its

I believe (he said) those prospects are brighter and better as a result of the proposals which this Govern ment is putting forward and I believe that they will find that as we break the monopoly and the market becomes more free there will be more jobs and more activity and not

Privatization would have major benefits for BT's investment programme and the consumer would also benefit from wider choice, improved quality of services

There was every reason to hope that BT, freed from state control should develop over the years into a major force in world electronics and information technology. The Government's proposals would have advantages for the dualiter minutes people employed in BT. They would benefit from expansion and be able to buy shares in BT. There would also be advantages for the British referenmunications manufacturing

Mr Parkinson, said that the day's subject for debate, industry and privatisation, provided him with an opportunity to describe the new department's philosophy and policy in areas crucial to the country's

conomic recovery.

The Government took a much more modest view than its Labour proper for government to exercise in industrial activity. As a result it had a combined department that was both manageable and of a sensible

It was important that government spoke to industry from a combined department with a single voice. In particular, the new Department of Trade and Industry would be in an excellent position to stimulate was heartened by the warm response to the merger from many people in all sections of industry.

The decision by General Motors to invest £70m in their Bedford commercial vehicle operation at Luton and Dunstable was a further

sign of the upturn.

The arrangements, which had been discussed with the Government, were an example of the basis on which collaboration with Japan could be of mutual benefit. The role of government and his department was to ensure that industry was in a position to benefit from the upturn and that unemployment was reduced in the process, and his ambition had been well summarised in Thursday's leader in The Times which said: The Times which said:

"If Britain's economic performance is to take advantage of the next two or three years' growth in world output it needs to be reinvigorated by legislation to break down rigidities and monopolies wherever they exist - in the public sector, in trade union practices, in housing, in taxation and in administration."

In this country (he said) we have accumulated a sorry collection of what *The Times* calls rigidities. One such rigidity which has been so damaging to our industrial perform-ance is the division between those who own our companies, those who manage them and others who work

in them.

Another had been the division between the two sides of industry, management and other employees. In many competitor nations those two sides did not exist, both were working unambiguously on the same goals.

The Government had spread ownership of industry more widely, had encouraged share ownership in private industry and made em-ployee ownership schemes an essential part of its privatization programme. He was pledged to

ompetition in the economy. He existed and to set management and other employees against each other. The damage to industrial performance from Labour's axitude of the more effective formance from Labour's axitude of the monopoly in telecommuniother employees against each other.
The damage to industrial performance from Labour's artifude over the years was incalculable. The loss of markets and so of jobs had

> The Government's emphasis on removing companies from state ownership wherever possible was



King: Replace betting shops

founded on the proven history of difference to their company's results and so to their own rewards. In those companies already privarized more than 90 per cent of the employees chose to buy shares in

If Britain was to improve its share of world trade, achieve higher employment and sustain stable economic recovery and growth then it must achieve higher productivity, higher efficiency and improved competitiveness throughout indus-

Mr John Smith, chief Opposition spokesman on energy (Monkiands East, Lab), said it was little known and carefully concealed during the election that since 1979 the Government had received no less than £20,500m in North Sea oil revenues. It was scancely believable programme. He was pledged to carry that work much further.

In doing so (he said) I am aware of battling against decades of grievous harm done to our industries by the mythology of the Labour Party. An essential part of covery Labour victory, and if they carry on as they have been recently I think they are going to be few, has been to prey on jealousy and division, to perpetuate class conflict in industry where none need have and carefully concealed during the election that since 1979 the Government had received no less than £20,500m in North Sea oil revenues. It was scarcely believable that all that movey had gone to pay for the cost of the extra unemployment created by the Government since 1979.

This policy was continuing. Worse, because of the Government's dependence on these revenues it was rapidly over-producing

production was likely to decline.
This was how the Government

had been able to get away with the present level of unemployment. But for the oil revenues the Prime Minister would have had to cut benefits or increase taxes. The Government would be forced

to bribe the oil companies to keep them in production in the North Sea. Hence the proposal in the Queen's Speech to abolish royalizes for all North Sea fields in the future. was the rent the nation got for the exploitation of its own resources. The Government's attitude towards the British Gas Corporation had been a disgrace and the most

devious trick played upon them had been the Gas Levy Act.
That had created surpluses in the corporation's accounts by forcing prices 10 per cent above the rate of inflation. These surpluses were then transferred to the Treasury so

becoming no more than a Exx upon gas consumers but the clever part was that the odium had been felt by the corporation, which had not wanted the rises, and not by the

In addition the corporation had been forced to sell off the Wytch Farm oil field in Dorset. The corporation had discovered the osit, exploited it and maintained it and now its reward for enterprise and initiative was to be told to sell it The corporation was not even

going to be allowed to get a proper price for it. It would be forced to sell at £200m when the true valuation ar LAOM when the true valuation was more likely to be £400m.

In addition the corporation was being made to sell off all its oil interests in the North Sea and they would go to foreign countries and foreign companies. Of all the things in the Queen's Speech, that was the most shameful.

It would penalize the taxpayer and serve no useful purpose and the only possible justification was the ideological attitude of the Government to dispose of every successful multiple acceptance. Mr Michael Marshall (Arundel, C)

He wescomed the more enterly coordination between trade and industry and hoped this move would be extended because there had been lack of coordination in some aspects of government activity, particularly in oversess

The government had a major role to play in coordinating the interests of business and industry. The banking and insurance sectors were whole apparatus of export trading to be considered. But some successes in recent years gave him encourage-

and Port Glasgow, Lab), in a maiden speech, said that as a former shipwright he could say that they had some of the finest shipbuilding skills in his constituency. But the workers faced severe problems because if British Shipbuilders went ahead with proposed job cuts of 2,100 within the next year the result would be economic and social disaster for the area. Male unem-

The proposal in the Queen's Speech to privatize the Royal Ordnance Factories owed more to political dogma than concern for the public good or economic and social interests of the people who worked there and the communities in which they were situated. They were not a burden on the public purse and there was no sensible reason for

Mr Timothy Eggar (Enfield North, C) said there should be more private capital introduced into the public sector, particularly in electricity and gas. There would be many advantages in having a regional, decentralized system. Regulation of regional privatized monopolics would be preferable to the present nationalized industry structure. Privatization was not so much

Mr Ian Wriggiesworth (Stockton gamation of the trade and try departments and hoped it would lead to better coordination said that but for the private sector vitally important that all areas of Britain would not be enjoying Government policy took into

the monopoly in telecommuni-cations, which had brought a new cations, which had brought a new spirit of competitiveness to BT and new services for the customers they would not otherwise have had, but it was questionable whether de-nationalization of BT was a sensible course to pursue.

He hoped that British Telecom would not become a political football. It was not the only example but was the core of the development of so many new technologies and services to British industries. If it became subject to alternate stionalization and denationaliza-

tion for 30 years it would not only ruin that industry but, because of uncertainty, damage others. Mr Roger King (Birmingham, Northfield, C), in a maiden speech, said that he welcomed the Government's policy of abolishing metro-politan county councils because Birmingham had for too long been



Fields: Militant is a moderate off his knees

nersed in the Black Country conglomerate. It had lost its They must maintain the momen-tum of building up the car industry. He was delighted that overtime and

Saturday working was now in use in the car industry. Denationalisation - getting the state off people's backs - was a recipe for certain success, but he hoped that in any denationalisation process the average working man was given the opportunity to take part in the investment and management of the company denationalised. He looks forward ultimately to the replacement betting shops by stock shops in the

high streets of this country.

Mr Richard Deuglas (Dunfermline West, Lab) said the best miners were miners' sons. People could not be forced to go down the pit on the basis of an interpretation of the future of that industry in narrow balance sheet terms. The sociology of mining communities was an important consideration.

If the Secretary of State for Energy was tempted to pay back old scores it would be damaging to the long-term energy viability of this country. The most important function of government in terms of

function of government in terms of energy was to secure supplies and this might have to be done almost at No one could suggest that the Scottish electorate voted for a two-tier health service in which access was on the basis of greed.

Mr Derek Fatchett (Leeds Central,

Lab), in a maiden speech, said the Secretary of State's speech seemed. to show he had little knowledge of, or interest in, Britain's great industrial cities. had more than doubled since 1979.
Every major firm in the city, in engineering clothing and textiles, had suffered significant job losses yet they were the life cord of the city. The situation was increasingly

desperate for the young unemresponsibility for the management of the economy and the Queen's Speech and the speech by the Prime Minister were reflections of that,

There was no reason to believe that unemployment would full. On the contrary, there was every reason to think it would continue to rease throughout the country and to increase very sharply in the northern industrial cities. The Government needed to change

Mr Terence Fields (Liverpool, Broadgreen, Lab), in a maiden speech, said the proper name for privatization was asset-stripping - a reward for those who had given millions to the Tories to help them win the election. He hoped the members of the Post Office Engineering Union and organized workers would stand up and fight

industries to private hands.
The Pontius Pilates of The Pontius Pilates of the Government attempted to shift the blame for unemployment from themselves and their system to the world crisis. Their policies had contributed to the miseries of working people on Merseyside. There was no hope in the Queen's Speech for ordinary working people. Speech for ordinary working people.

Despite the Tory victory on June

9, a large majority in Parliament would not save the Government when the true effects of their large majority, and had attempted to cut the living standards of ordinary people, and in 1926 there was a general strike.

provoke an even greater reaction from working people. Their policies would provoke social upheaval. During the election campaign, his enemies in the media had made much of him being a militant.

I wear the badge of Militant with honour (he said). A Militant is just a moderate who has got off his letes. The whole of the working class will rise off its kness and the Torios will

not be laughing then. Mr Stanley Orms Opposition spokesman on Industry (Saiford East, Lab), said that in the face of decline and decay, the Govern-ment's response was to give priority to further privatization, specifically to further privatization, specifically of BT and the Royal Ordinance

Futher denationalization measures were promised, but where? British Leyland, British Steel or British Shipbuilders? They needed to know what the future held and they needed more than privatization Mr Peter Walker the new Secretary

of State for Energy, replying to the debate, and the question oftan asked was why something successful and profitable should be sold off. The answer was that it would be even more successful in the private actor with all the freedoms to be enjoyed there.

It was right and sonsible that some areas should be taken away from the overall supervision of politicians and civil servants and hould become entities accoun to themselves.

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Eagleburger claims US policy is helping to change South Africa

Reaffirming the US policy of "constructive engagement" towards South Africa, a senior Administration official has rejected calls for American

While denouncing apartheid as "morally wrong" Mr Law-rence Eagleburger, Under-Secretary of State for Political Affairs, predicted that South Africa's system of racial segrea-tion would eventually crumble and it was crucial for the US to ensure the change was peaceful rather than violent.

Mr Eagleburger had words of cautious praise for the changes which have taken place in South Africa recently, noting that the constitutional proposals now being considered represented "the first step towards extend-ing national political rights

beyond the white minority".

Mr Eagleburger's speech on
Thursday night, was the Administration's most comprehensive statement on southern Africa in two years. The speech contained no new initiatives, but was rather an attempt to show that American policy which has been widely criticized as being "soft" on apartheid -was helping to accelerate the

"We believe that South fears that South Africa may not. African and US interests are largely for domestic political best served by encouraging the reasons, be able to agree to a change that is now under way in similar pull-back from Nami-South Africa. We are commit-bia. companies to divest themselves ted to strengthening the ca-

> indicated that agreement was close and that an independence settlement could be achieved forces from Namibia and had planted the weapons to permit United Nations supervised independence elections to vised independence elections to take place, and Angola, which the US is insisting should agree to a removal of Cuban forces
>
> Sentencing was expected later after arguments in mitigation.
>
> Mr E D Wyethe, the regional magistrate of the Klerksdorp

> Mr Eagleburger said the US had worked out the language to try to persuade Angola to accept a Cuban withdrawal. He said viljeon, would have informed the US, was not seeking police if the weapons had indeed been planted Angola could help make a The m withdrawi of South African illegally troops from Namibia possible assault by assuring, as a separate ammuni sovereign act, the withdrawal of revolver. Cuban troops from its terri-

from its territory.

US sources have been saying privately that an agreement on a cuban troop withdrawal is near.

companies to divest themselves of holdings in that country and has criticized attempts by Congress to increase economic pressure on the white-ruled republic.

Text to strengthening the capacity of black Africans to take part in their country's society as an ultra-right white sepremacist group, was convicted in Johannesburg vesterday of illegally indicated that agreement was prossessing arms and amounts. possesing arms and ammu-

> Mr Terre Blanche and a "as soon as key parties are prepared to take the necessary political decisions". By this he was referring to South Africa, had pleaded not guilty to the which must agree to withdraw it charges, claiming left-wingers

> > local court near Johannesbu rejected the claim. He said Mi Terre Blanche and the other defendant, Mr Jacob Daniel

The men were found guilty of illegally possessing an AK-47 assault rifle, 362 rounds of ammunition and a .22-callibre

Mr Viljeon and two other former group members were convicted earlier this month of separate charges under South Africa's terrorism laws and



Campaign trial: Signor Ciriaco De Mita, secretary of the Italian Christian Democratic Party, responding to cheers at the end of a speech in Genoa. Voting begins tomorrow. Campaign scandals, page 8.

Buenos Aires police chief challenges courts

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Despite reports that he would be removed from his post, and a Army officer who heads the provincial police, was reacting three of his officers, accused of the Buenos Aires province police went ahead with a murdering two men, Señor Osvaldo Cambiaso and Señor violently-worded speech on Thursday. He delivered an open Eduardo Pereira Rossi, on May challenge to the courts which 14 this year. have brought charges against his A local judge ordered the arrest of the policemen after

General Fernando Ezequiel

victims had been kidnapped, possibility tortured, and shot

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Early on Thursday, Buenos Aires was full of rumours that General Verplaetsen would be forced to resign. The presidential spokesman was forced to deny the impending resignation of General Llamil Reston, the Interior Minister.

senior Interior Ministry official was dispatched by helicopter to the provincial capital of La Plata where General Verplaetsen was due to deliver his speech, in an unsuccessful lastminute attempt to get him to moderate his words. General Verplactsen

scribed the three arrested officers as "three brave young men from our ranks

EEC and **America** leave farm gate open

From Bailey Morris

US and European negotiators have concluded six months of difficult agricultural nego-tiations without resolving fundamental differences but have left the door open for a possible solution

Officials from both sides agreed in Washington on Thursday to set up an unformal working group on the issue of agricultural subsidies which brought them close to a trade

The bilateral working group will review government sub-sidies and other forms of agricultural assistance with the aim of clarifying trade moves to prevent future confrontations.

Declaring themselves "modcrately satisfied", officials from both sides said the first phase of the talks had gone as far as cossible in resolving the dis-

Privatly, officials said they had found a face-saving way of preventing an oubreak of stilities without resolving any of the fundamental complaints

The European Community gave little in response to US demands that the EEC begin dismantling export subsidies contained in its common agricultural policy (CAP).

European negotiators, led by M Claude Villain, the EEC's director-general for agriculture, said substantive changes in the CAP were unlikely

Air chief tells of sabotage suspicion

From Stephen Taylor, Harare

Zimbabwe Air Force board of containing eight Hawker Hunt-inquiry into the Thornbill ers and four Hawk fighters

the second accused and the last said. to give evidence in the continuing trial of six officers charged with complicity in the sabotage, said he had also considered recommending that three officers be court martialled because of gross security derelictions at the base just before the

Air Commodore Pile, aged adviser at the Zimbabwe High Commission in London for a gone "a change of attitude".

year after independence. denied that the board had, as the state asserts, been rigged to divert attention from those responsible. It had been appointed by Air Marshal Norman Walsh, then ZAF Commander, on the day of the sabotage, July 25, to include an army observer and had passed

all evidence to the police. It never completed its delibcrations because he and another member. Wing Commander Peter Briscoe, who is also in the

dock, had been arrested. board had heard evidence from station commander, and Squadan Air Lieutenant Moyo who ron Leader Ncube also be court was absent from duty for an martialled. hour and a half on the day of the sabotage, although he was station duty officer. Air aged 66, will retire in September Licutenant Moyo had told the board that the previous day he and another officer had taken ports.

The officer who headed the civilians into the technical area

sabotage said in the high court
here yesterday that he had been Pile said that Air Lieutenant very suspicious of an officer Moyo was recalled "to clear up whose evidence to the board did certain suspicious matters"; but not stand up to scrutiny and he had been very evasive. "We who could not properly account trapped him on many occasions on answers which were patently Air Commodore Philip Pile, untrue", Air Commodore Pile

He identified a document produced in court as a list of suspects supplied to the board by another accused, Air Lieutenant Barrington Lloyd, who was a security officer at the base. The seven names, of five whites and two blacks, included those of two other accused -43, was born in London and who was said by Air Lieutenant Lloyd to be untruthful and Wing Commander John Cox, having joined the Air Force Lloyd to be untruthful and here in 1956, was appointed air devious" and Air Lieutenant

Also named was Squadron In evidence on Thursday he Leader John Neube, the chief prosecution witness in the trial, because "the station officer is

not happy with him".

Air Commodore Pile said that before his arrest he had been on the verge of warning Air Lieutenant Lloyd that he would recommend that he be court martialled because of security lapses at Thornhill. But. he had no reason to suspect that Air Lieutenant Lloyd was

involved in the sabotage. He had also been considering ck, had been arrested. recommending that Group Air Commodore Pile said the Captain David Jones, then

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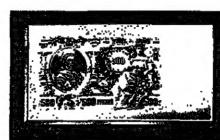
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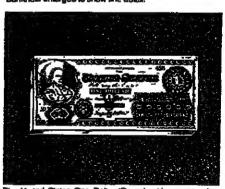


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Hongkong tombstones torn down

From Richard Hughes Hongkong

Hongkong has been suddenly confronted with a strange outbreak of vandalism in some of its 10 public cemeteries. For the first time gates are being closed reluctantly at 7pm.

By Chinese tradition only wicked ghosts would destroy s - 80 of which were dragged down one night in the Colonia Cemetery, while inex-plicable damage has been reported in other public cem-

The Urban Services Department, which is responsible for control of the cemeteries, has written to the known addresses of relatives of some of the deceased whose graves were despoiled, but has received no response so far - although the family names are clear on most

Many of the desecrated graves date back to prewar days and it is difficult to contact relatives. Those relatives, however, must pay for restoring the graves.

"The Government will not pay," a government official said. "Under law, the Govern-ment is not liable for compensation or cost in such cases."

Anyway - except in remote constories outside the city which are too rambling to be enclosed - the urban cometeries will now be locked up against respectful nocturnal visits by

Asean asks Vietnam to pull back

From Neil Kelly Bangkok

The sixteenth annual meeting of foreign ministers of the Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN) which opened here yesterday is at the centre of extensive diplomatic activity to end the conflict in Cambodia.

That issue is the main concern of the ministers from Thailand, Malaysia. Singapore, Indonesia and the Philippines and will dominate their discussions next week with counterparts from Western nations and Japan.

The ministers supported a Thai proposal that Vietnam should move its forces 20 miles back from the Thai-Cambodian horder. Air Chief Marshal Siddhi Sawetsila, the Thai Foreign Minister, said the pull back would lessen the threat to Thailand and would be more meaningful than Vietnam's "socalled partial troop with-

The five ministers admit that they are not optimistic about obtaining a favourable respons from Hanoi. Air Chief Marshal Siddhi dispelled any hope that there had been some progress towards a settlement in Cambodia. He said his talks with Mr Nguyen Co Thach, Vietnam's Foreign Minister, two weeks

ago had got nowhere.

The Thai minister said that the basis of Asean policy was Victnam's withdrawal followed by free elections for Cambodia and its restoration as a soveand its restoration as a soveriega, independent and nonaligned nation.

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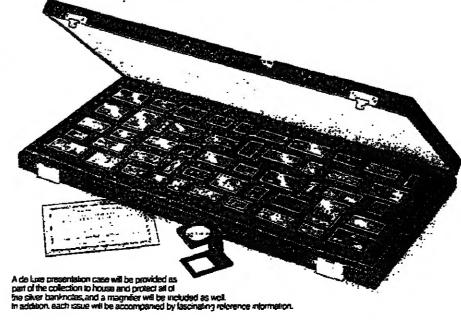
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graphically describing a gory pageant of men with unspeak-able hideous wounds. The oratory suggested a politician, maybe a general, although there have been either. It was, in the event, the voice of a teacher reading from an eye-witness account of the horrors of the First World War.

This was how Graham Reid edgily began his disturbing play Curriculum (Monday, Radio 4 - a BBC/Lyric Theatre, Befast, co-production directed by Leon Rubin and produced by Robert Cooper). The play's extreme powerfulness came, in part, from what its author chose not to tell us; from the latent, unspoken terrors that underscored everything, however ghastly, that was said.

The teacher, Tony Cairns (played with moving sincerity of his brother Lee, a semi-illiter by Denys Hawthorne), set his ate, law breaking wildman, who by Denys Hawthorne), set his ate, law breaking wildman, who students their homework: a had lived for years in the desert. report on Wilfred Owen's war poem "Dulce et Decorum est", other, yet each secretly envied which the poet denounced as a lie the adage that it is sweet Having made it impossible and glorious to die for one's for Austin to continue to work country. Although unremarked on his first major screenplay upon, the choice of poem was Lee then conned the film? particularly apt, for the charac-producer into abandoning it in ter was head of English in a favour of a ludicrous yarn of his Protestant school in Belfast.

heard nothing (not even a class-room murmur) but through the Austin observed like real life squabbles and petty warrings of the staffroom, and through the cynical observations of two former pupils involved on the fringe of Belfast's violence, we gradually gained a picture of Tony Cairn's character. At the same time, Cairns was learning something about the brutal, bigoted world beyond the school-gates, where "compre-bension and the war poets count for nothing". And as he did so, we witnessed his painful realization that the horrific things done in that world were partly the result of the education system which he served.

The only effective way, perhaps, last cent on having his teeth is to focus on one incident - to removed and replaced with examine the needlework, as it false ones, took his dentures out by having his central character surplus chop suey, and subse-discover that one of his best quently left them in a bar. That, hehaved and most promising said Austin, is like life. former pupils was serving a life prison sentence for sectarian

of Maybury (BBC 2), a new season of the series which is set

in a psychiatric hospital. There

has been a certain amount of

argument in the past whether the programme is "realistic" or

not, but in television the term is

ambiguous: was Emergency

Ward Ten realistic in the social

climate in which it was made?

The central question ought to

I have to say that, despite the

honourable intentions of those

involved in the series, it is not

This is nothing against the skill of Kenneth Branagh, who

played Robert, the young

epileptic. He gave a very

powerful performance as a man

who on occasions finds the

world dissolving and himself

along with it; he was able to

display bravura with a painful

susceptibility, aggression with

The real problem concerns

the question of creating a

'story" out of the exploration of

a physiological condition: where

does description end and imagination begin? I do not

mean the moral question (the most egregious handicaps are

now fair game for "prime time"

television), or the fact that

clinical information is smuggled

in under the guise of doctors'

helplessness.

be: is it convincing as drama?

A young man runs though the dialogue, or even the disconstructs sucking in the wind, as if certing sight of a hospital there were a fire within him almost eerily agreeable, efficient which he cannot put out; he is and staffed by genial and

an epileptic. This was the start enlightened staff.

of help and friendship to the boy's parents - were contemptuously rejected, as were his attempts to show his colleagues how inadequately they were was possibly a little too much preparing pupils to face the loathing in the tone for it to problems of their society. In the classroom once more, he picked up his books of warpoetry able to cope with and relate to only those manifes-

tations of war that are however applicable to the present - history rather than current affairs. His voice drifted out into the silence of the haunted classroom: "These are the damned circles Dante trod, terrible in helplessness." A far less plausible, but equally vicious circle was to be

found in Sam Shepard's True West (Thusday, Radio 3, directed by Peter King), Austin, an aspiring Hollywood screenwriter, was suddenly confronted by the uncomfortable presence Neither man understood the the other.

of the children he taught, we read nothing from the children western about truck Austin observed, like real life. Nor by this time, it should be

said, was the play itself. Credulity was stretched to breaking point as things turned full circle: Lee thumped away at the typewriter, Austin returned from a bizarre expedition in an alcoholic stupour and announced his intention to quit movieland for the deserts. Austin then concluded the transformation by killing his brother.

A little before this unpleasant, but dramatically convenient, state of affairs had been reached, the brothers had discussed the relevence of There is no easy formula for stories to the understanding of writing about vast and complex real life. Austin recalled how issues like the Irish problem. their father, having spent every were, rather than the acres of in a Chinese restaurant, put tapestry. This Graham Reid did them in a doggy-bag with some

It has more to do with the fact

that it is extraordinarily difficult

to create a conventional tele-

vision drama out of one specific

notion of what epilepsy may be:

it was made very clear that, for

Robert, the condition was a

way of affirming his own uniqueness and that he was as a

result afraid of being treated as

'normai". I do not know if this

is the conventional psychiatric

wisdom - although the descrip-

tion of him as a "classic epileptic personality" suggests

that it was meant to be - but

here the idea was battered into

the ground by over-emphasis

and sometimes by over-writing.

I do not doubt the good faith

of the script-writer, who is

himself an epileptic, and in any

a series which attempts to treat

mental illness in an unsenti-

mental and sympathetic man-

ner will obliquely suggest that this is "the truth" about coilepsy. I doubt very much that this is the case, and the

concentration upon one possible diagnosis may well be counter-productive. This is the

Brian Sibley

Television

case the problem is a larger one: to appreciate the enormity of

risk of Maybury, which attempts to be realistic while needing a "story" to satisfy an audience. When programme-

Abbado at 50

Once more with passion

Claudio Abbado will be 50 tomorrow. That being established, it has to be added that he is not a man much concerned with turning points, career divisions or even anniversaries. Work in progress is considerably more important. "Age is unimportant. My grandfather, who was a papyrologist, and so in a good position to judge, was the first person to teach me that All that counts is passion and liking what you do. Look at Rudolf Serkin: he seems to get younger every passing year."

Serkin is the obvious example to choose because
Abbado has been recording a
number of Mozart's piano
concertos with him and the LSO in London. Two are for release on the DG label, with whom Abbado has an exclusive contract, this autumn. As usual the producer is Rainer Brock, who has probably been responsible for about 95 per cent of the conductor's records. Asked about this long association and the Brock influence, Abbado's response is characteristically laconic: "We studied together and we've been friends for a

long time."

The simple reply, though, reveals a side of his nature which is generally underplayed: deep-rooted loyalty. Stories about Abbado tend to concentrate on the fierier side of the man, his refusal to compromise, his disputes with La Scala, his feuds with Riccardo Muti. These last in particular have been grossly exaggerated by sections of the Italian press anxious to stir up antagonism, real or imagined, between rival conductors. And much is made of his passion for football, although here it has to be admitted that he did once have to cancel a concert in Vienna through breaking a wrist while trying to make a save for Scala XI against the Wiener

All this overlooks the fact that once Abbado decides to back a person or an organisation he tends to stay with them. Earlier this month he signed a five-year contract with the LSO as Music Director after 10 years with the orchestra as Principal Guest and later Chief Conductor. A year before Abbado joined the LSO he was made Musical of La Scala and despite disagreements andd resignations he is still there, although he now avoids any

themseleves in matters of

Weekend

choice

A pity, really, that a week

separates Michael Dibb's two

intelligently compiled and artis-

tically pleasing films about William Morris (tonight, Chan-

nel 4, 7.45) and John Ruskin

(next Saturday night). The two

Victorians, as well as being social critics and visionary writers, were twin pillars who

helped support a temple erected

in celebration of pleasurable

labour and the joys of all things

natural, and to have seen these

outlines of their lives in

sequence would have been fully

the shadow that an industria-

lized society has cast over their

idealistic visions of a better

tomorrow. Not everything is

lost, of course, and tonight's film about Morris devotes some

considerable time to one of his

legacies, the hand-made wallpapers that are still produced

from the 1,900 or so printing

makers decide to involve education in

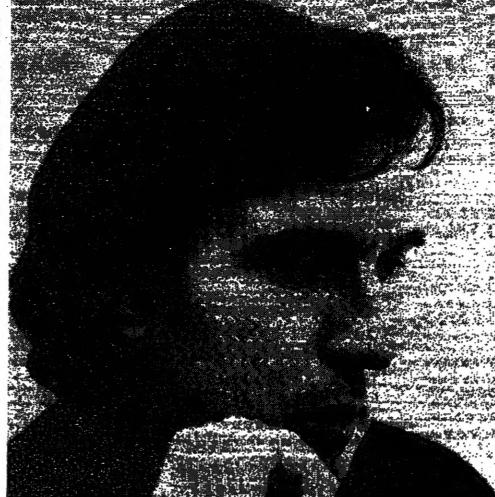
Peter Ackroyd

psychiatric care, they should in last week's story about

really decide - and make it clear anarchy at a comprehensive

what technique they are school: children know what is

Staatsoper.



present to open the 1984-85 season with a Carmen which is expected to include Domingo, are used and there is not a single expected to include Domingo, Verrett and Raimondi.

And it is to La Scala that one usually has to go to hear Abbado at his best in opera. There is little doubt his finest hour to date at Covent Garden was when he brought in La Scala's Simon Boccanegra, a performance of Verdi's work which has never been surpassed here. But there are high hopes of Boris Godunov, the first of next season's new productions at the

He has been cautiously and prudently expanding his reper-toire. Before that Scala Boris he had conducted no Mussorgsky and before Lohengrin, which followed two seasons later, he had done no Wagner, although there had been offers from Bayreuth. He has just com-pleted a recording of Verdi's Don Carlos, an opera with formal appellation - "Titles pleted a recording of Verdi's mean far less in Italy than they Don Carlos, an opera with do in Eingland". And he will be which he has long been

fleshes out one of the arguments

best for them, not teachers. Flying into the Wind can be

summed up in one campaigning

line spoken by the mother who

keeps her 11-year-old son away

from school and educates him

at home instead: "We should

uncondition the adult mind

instead of conditioning the child." Provocative stuff, all

right. Just as controversial as

another of the same mother's

views: in the teaching game as

played today, guidance and

control are one and the same

thing. Given Mr Leland's obvious dislike of state edu-

cation in Britain as he sees it, it

is scarcely surprising that, when the young lad eventually loses out to the Establishment, he

Radio highlights: Giulini conducting the Los Angeles Philharmonic in a performance

of Bruckner's Ninth Symphony

(tonight, Radio 3, 8.50pm); and

John Turner's and Ian McMil-

lan's comedy Metamorphosid Arkwright (today, Radio 4, 2.05) which, with its storyline

about a darts team captain who

turns into a giant cockroach, is

Kafka served with Yorkshire

pud. It makes a tasty dish for

lovers of the bizarre.

looks like a soul in Purgatory.

in the original French singer in the cast, but Abbado defends the decision to go back to the Paris version. "We can open up all the conventional cuts, including the choruses and the ballet, Even more important, we can show that the music was formed by the original words. The Italian translation was terrible and certainly Verdi was never happy

The next major project in London will be a series of concerts and allied events in 1985 under the working title "Mahler and the Twentieth Century". There will be 15 appearances with the LSO during which Abbado will conduct nearly all the ocrhetral works of Berg and Schoenberg. It is hoped that there will be exhibitions of Klimt and Kokoschka in London galleries. A touch of the missionary

The Yardbirds

Historically speaking, the three important Yardbirds were the

during their successive incum-

influence over the development

Regrettably, and for whatever

Over Under Sideways Down".

The Yardbirds were the arche-

guitar-led rhythm and blues,

enough, though, their absence

may actually have assisted the

Three genuine alumni were present the rhythm guitarist Chris Dreja, the bass guitarist Paul Samwell-Smith and the

drummer Jim McCarty. Two

guests, the singer and harmon-ica player Mark Felton and the

welcome gesture.

evening's enjoyment.

Peter Davalle guitarist John Knightsbridge,

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of modern rock music.

Marquee

all got to wrestle with the problem of attracting audiences to the music of this century, and giving an overall view, such as this, is one way of doing it. When we launched Music del nostro tempo in Milan nobody thought it would work, but it's been immensely successful." In the meantime he turns his

attention to the music of time past, including Rosini's II viaggio a Reims, composed just before Le Siège de Corinthe This will re-open the Teatro Farnese in Parma in August next year. "Then there is Monteverdi - I've conducted very little of him and he is meone I want to explore Gabrieli too . . . Schubert-.. Mozart, above all Mozart Figaro is the only opera of his I've conducted ... " Tomorrow will be just another day.

John Higgins

Rock

normally to be heard with Nine Below Zero, put energy and skill into his performance of the vocal and harmonica parts once the property of the late Keith

Dreja, Samwell-Smith and

guitarists Eric Clapton, Jeff Beck and Jimmy Page, who, McCarty clearly enjoyed themselves, sticking to the original bencies, exerted an enormous script and producing the auth-entic, uncomplicated drive of the mid-1960s British rab rhythm section. The result was reasons, none of the three a musicological feast: in the lean turned up on Wednesday night guitar riff and crashing suspen-sions of "I Wish You Would" for the first of two Yardbirds reunions, organized as part of the Marquee's silver jubilee one could hear the germ of Led Zeppelin and the entire heavycelebrations and eagerly awaited metal movement; in the ringing overtones of the final chord of "For Your Love" (excellently by those with fond memories of "Good Morning, Little School-girl", "Heart Full of Soul" and sung by Knightsbridge) were the seeds of psychedelia; the accelerated version of "I'm a Man" typal Marquee band, adapting the Rolling Stones' model of middle-class white boys playing contained a foreshadowing of the boogie of Status Quo and the Allman Brothers. and the appearance of any one of them would have been a

One could sympathize with those who had paid the price of admission in expectation of bigger names, but it seemed plain that their presence would have unbalanced the event, disturbing an idiomatic perfection that lacked only the supporting cast of pill-popping mods and earnest blues students who were the Yardbirds' first supporters. Otherwise, memo-ries were honoured in full.

Richard Williams

The Government Inspector Royal Exchange,

Manchester

A sinister overture of farmyard cackles and grunts launches Braham Murray's production. If you had never noticed how ofen Gogol's characters use animal imagery to convey human tation multiplies the references until not even a donkey could The idea of corrupt small-

town officials mistaking a penniless clerk for the inspector s so funny and pointed that one might assume the play is sureare without needing as But the dialogue's specific gravity is low. Mr McLarnon's cting text is tarted up with plenty of vigorous wit, some bad mistires, clumsy double entendres and loads of lavatory umour, a right dog's breakfast Mr Murray's production

fortunately keeps animals off the stage, except perhaps for

Theatre

Geoffrey Andrew's turkey-cock police chief and one lady's feathered hat which might cost her her life in the grouse shooting season. In a tight, pistacchio-green tailcoat and floppy two-coloured wig, Derek Griffiths's Khlestakov might be some haughty, faintly ridiculous

exotic bird For all the production's speed and the script's inventiveness the play still proved treacherous. The cast works hard for appetities or predatory instincts, their laughs, most successfully Gerard McLarnon's new adap-Philip Madoc and Val McLane, who enliven the mayor and his wife with a quiveringly manic snobbery.

Surely the play's greatness is not simply as a satire on greed and gullibility, but as a resonant and disturbing combination of the Christopher Sty fable of a wealth-wish fulfilled with a tragi-comic view of our guilty panic at the threat of judgment. human or divine. But, being worked out in terms of sin or simplistic farce, I suspect it needs either a bigger central performance or a more radical approach than borrowing the passenger list of Noah's Ark.

Anthony Masters

Concert

Philharmonia/ Knussen

Barbican Hall

The House of Du Maurier is enerous indeed to sponsor an evening in a house as thinly populated as was the Barbican on Thursday night; but this was an important instalment in the Music of Today series, and if someone thinks it worthwhile to pick up the bill, so much the better for the health and diversity of London's orchestral life. Oliver Knussen presided over the occasion with quietly unobtrusive efficiency; he did not delay us with long lectures, but plunged into Poul Ruder's Capriccio Pian'e Forte, a Danish flurry of fanfares which seemed to draw its sectional discontinuity as well as its antiphonal contrasts of loud and soft from the early Italian

That gloss on the past was anchored firmly in the present: Robin Holloway's Scenes from Schumann, which occupied us

for the rest of the evening, seemed anchored somewhere between Wagner and Mahler, buffeted hither and thither by the gales of Holloway's irrepres sibly wide-ranging imagination. Holloway's electric sensi-

tivity to the music of the past tonal and beyond - can be heard with vivid clarity on these meditations. They rarely miss a trick: every harmonic inflection in the originals is taken up, pointed, twisted, or pushed gently half a century forward. A response to a rethinking so personal must itself be personal: I do not have Siegfried or the apocalyptic language of late German romanticism in my bloodstream as Holloway does, and it would never occur to me to hear Schumann with that gloss. A trumpet solo in Mondnacht I find vaguely offensive, yet the Seurat-like rewriting of the opening, dissolved into separate dots is wonderfully convincing.

Auf einer Burg is magically halfheard, at least until Act Three of Tristan drifts into view;

Nicholas Kenyon

Opera

Die Entführung aus dem Serail

Glyndebourne

Jane Glover is back at the helm at Glyndebourne for the last three performances this season the pit just that balance of excitement menace. humour that is in both Mozart's score and Peter Wood's sensitively imagined and always pertinent stage business.

As elegantly detailed as the traceries of William Dudley's Islamic design, the nervous energy of each short unit vibrates within wider arcs of momentum. Beaded bubbles wink at the score's brim, and not only in the celebration of Bacchus. The orchestra, who provide some exquisite solos in the little "Martern aller Arten' sinfonia concertante, offer robust support to the singers in the tautly paced ensembles, and, where it is particularly needed, in Constanze's and Belmonte's testing arias.

The unease that Paul Griffiths sensed earlier in the season Elizabeth Pruett's and Ryland Davies's bandling of

their showpieces is still, to some extent, there: Mr Davies's shrewd characterization of Belmonte carries him through, but both voices need more flexibility, particularly in the upper register, prevent periodical nail-biting in the audience.

Hilary Finch

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Restrictive Practices Court

Court of Appeal

Injunctions against all members of group valid

M. Michaels (Furriers) Ltd v Askew and Others Before Lord Justice Dunn and Lord Justice Purchas

[Judgment delivered June 23]

A flexible and broad approach to the provisions of Order 15, rule 12, of the Rules of the Supreme Court regarding representative proceed-ings enabled the court to do justice where a number of unidentified persons were causing injury and damage by unlawful nets and there was an arguable case that they belonged to a single organization or class which encouraged action of the type complained of and their actions could be linked to that

The Court of Appeal in reserved rudgments dismessed an appeal by a defendant Mrs Jean Pink, of High Street, Tonbridge, Kent, from Mr Justice Stephen Brown's judgment at Bristol on December 21, 1982, adjudeing, topic clip that she the adjudging, inter alia, that she, the cighth defendant and the first defendant, Mr Robin Askew, of St Michael's Park, Bristol, were proper parties to the proceedings for the purposes of representing the

members of an unincorporated association known as Animal Aid.

The defendants were restrained. inter alia, from picketing the shops of the plaintiffs, Mr Michael (Furriers) Ltd. at Clifton, Bristol, Weston-super-Mare and Taunton, comitting any nuisance against the plaintiffs in relation to their shops and conspiring with anyone to do

Leave to appeal to the House of Lords was refused. Order 15, rule 12 (1), of the Rules

of the Supreme Court provides:
"Where numerous persons have the
same interest in any proceedings...the proceedings may be
begun...by or against any one or
more of them as representing all or ... all except one or more of

them.

Mr Malcolm Warner for Mrs

Pink; Mr Michael Lyndon-Stanford, QC and Mr Adrian Palmer for the

LORD JUSTICE DUNN said that the judge had granted eight interlocutory injunctions restraining eight defendants until the trial of the eight derendents timin the that we action from, inter alia, (i) picketing the plaintiffs' shops at Bristol, Weston-super-Mare and Taunton and (v) doing any act calculated to interfere with the plaintiffs' contractual relations with their customers.

tual relations with their customers or other persons.

The injunctions against the first defendant and Mrs Pink were expressed to be on their own behalf and on behalf of all other members of Aurmal Aid. It was contended that no order should have been made against them in a representa-

The plaintiffs were furriers whose premises at Chifton had experienced the activities of persons opposed to

the inr trace.

The judge said that in pursuit of the objective of preventing cruelty (or alleged cruelty) to animals, premises had been picketed in a way which had dissuaded or prevented customers from entering them: stink customers from entering them: sunk bombs were alleged to have been thrown, staff abused, windows broken. There was difficulty in identifying those responsible for those damaging actious.

Mr Askew had said that he intended to continue the picketing.

Animal Aid was an unincorpor-ated association of persons campaigning against cruelty to animals, in particular against vivisection, with headquarters at Tonbridge,

Mrs Pink was the national organizer of Animal Aid which was a national organization with local contacts in many towns. The evidence was sufficient to give rise to an arguable case that unidentified members of Animal Aid were involved in picketing the

plaintiff. Clifton premises and were connecling and procuring the various unlawful activities being carried on at those and other premises pursuant to a campaign against the fur trade.

The judge took the view that, following the American Cyanamid case (1975) AC 390), the balance of convenience was overwhelmingly in favour of granting interlocutory relief to the plaintiffs. It was said

that he was wrong to do that by ordering injunctions which would in effect bind all the members of

Animal Aid including those not before the court. Reliance was Reliance was put on a passage in the Supreme Court Practice 1982, p.242, para 15/12/9: "An action cannot be maintained against certain members of an unincorpor-

ated association on behalf of the others, to enforce a strictly personal liability against members of the ssociation ...".
It was said for Mrs Pink that what

was being sought was to enforce a personal liability in tort by representative action, that separate defences might be open to some members of Amimal Aid which were not available to Mrs Pink and that there was no common interest The old Order 16, rule 9, had

been replaced by the present Order 15, rule 12, in 1962 with the important additional safeguard that a representative order might not be enforced against any party except with the leave of the court and that any person bound by the order might dispute liability "by reason of facts... particular to his case..."

The history and purpose of the rule had been described by Mr Justice Megarry in John v Rees (1970) Ch 345, 369-370) citing Duke of Bedford v Ellis (1901) AC (1) which was followed by Taff Vale Railway Co v Amalgamated Society of Railway Servants ([1901] AC 426), which like the present case was one of picketing where it was difficult if not impossible to identify the individuals concerned. with the leave of the court and that

the individuals concerned. The essential issues were whether Animal Aid were against the fur trade and whether Animal Aid were compromised by the actions of Mr Askew at the plaintiffs' premises. There could be no conflict of interest between Mrs Pink and all either issue.

The court had no knowlege of the membership, constitution or fin-ances of Animal Aid because she had vouchsafed the minimum of information in her affidavit. Care had to be taken to ensure

that Order 15, rule 12 was not abused. But where a number of unidentified persons were causing injury and damage by unlawful acts of one kind or another, and there was an arguable case that they belonged to a single organization or class which encouraged actions of the type complained of, and their actions could be linked to that organization the sale analysis the organization, the rule enabled the court to do justice in the particular case. The narrow construction of the rule contended for would deprive the courts in such a situation of a

the courts in such a situation of a useful remedy.

The appeal should be dismissed, but the order varied by deleting (v) which it was conceded was unnecessarily wide in its cope and might involve interference with lawful activities.

LORD JUSTICE PURCHAS, LORD JUSTICE PURCHAS, agreeing, said that the present Order 15, rule 12 (1), stemmed from the 1962 revision of the Rules of the Supreme Court and replaced the former Order 16, rule 9, the intention of which was to apply the existing practice of the Court of Chancery to all decisions of the High Court

High Court.
The safeguards incorporated in the present Order 15, rule 12, enabled the court to apply the

overall principle of achieving justice in all the circumstances which in turn demanded a flexible and broad approach to the provisions of the rule: see John v Rees at p370 H.

Lord Justice Scott in Barker v Allanson ([1937] I KB 463, 475) in a passage on which the plaintiffs relied set out the two questions to be

Convenient administration of justice demanded that the courts should be able to afford effective protection to the victims of illegal or threatened illegal action by members of associations whose declared aims were in line with or calculated to promote such illegal action. It was a proper exercise of the judge's discretion to grant the injunc

Court has power on restrictions Agreement between the mem-

bers of the Association British Travel Agents Ltd Before Mr Justice Anthony Lincoln, Mr N. C. Pearson and Mr C. J. Risk Mr N, C, Pearson and
[Judgment delivered June 22] In the second stage of the Director General of Fair Trading's reference of the ABTA agreement relating to the provision of package tours, the Restrictive Practices conditions of employment or other aspects of employment of ABTA

director general, Mr Anthony Graham-Dixon, QC, Mr Kenneth Parker and Mr C. Vajda for ABTA.

JUSTICE ANTHONY LINCOLN said that ABTA's articles of association contained a number of provisions which gave rise to restrictions, some of which the court had upheld at the first stage of the hearing (The Times, January 6, 1983) and others that had Solicitors: Thomson Snell & January 6, 1983) and others that had Passmore, Tonbridge; Bragg & been declared contrary to the public interest and condemned.

The present conflict between the parties as to the correct formulation of the condemned restrictions was

not an academic exercise.

ABTA had argued that by virtue of section 18 (6) of the Restrictive Practices Act 1976 the court had no jurisdiction to make declarations relating to employment as to do so rezing to employment as to do so would be to trespass on the jurisdiction of the industrial tribunals with their acknowledged expertise in the field of employment. Recognizing that the court could be placed in an intolerable position, they had offered to give undertakings, more accurately indications, to eliminate the

That course was not acceptable to the director general and rightly so. The court's declarations affected agents other than those party to the

Court held that it did have ABTA agreement, for example jurisdiction to make declarations members who would subsequently condemning or upholding restrictions relating to terms and by the undertaking.

The employment of staff was one component of the larger picture. travel agents.

Mr Michael Burke-Gaffney, QC concerned with the terms and and Mr Richard McCombe for the conditions of the contract of employment between the retail agent and his employee inter se.

The article in question was a mixed bag of provisions relating to premises, staffing and financial integrity; all being requirements for eligibility to membership of ABTA, and the court had to consider all the

and separately.
It was unthinkable that in section 18 (6) Parliament intended the cour to leave intact a restriction harmful to the public interest simply because it related to certain aspects of

employment If the section was to be read as a jurisdictional guide to which restrictions in any given agreement could be considered by the court (which seemed doubtful), it did not enioin the court to disregard employment or staffing restrictions where they were a component of a cluster of restrictions all constitut-

ing a manner of trading.

Accordingly the court would at a later date make declarations in accordance with its earlier judgment to embrace both staffing and premises restrictions once the new rules had been formulated either by with the approval of the court, or by the determination of the court. Solicitors: Treasury Solicitor, Thornton Lynne & Lawson.

THE TIMES DIARY

Borderlines

Polish listeners to the BBC's overseas service - a third of the country's entire population, I am told - have found a way of gening letters to Bush House past General Jaruzelski's subversion-sniffers. One recent letter, acknowledging receipt f an "English by Radio" package, eaid it had been opened by the authorities - quite properly - in case it contained underground material or a bomb. The second paragraph spoke of the warmongering Mrs Thatcher's hatred for peace-loving communist countries", the next blamed the BBC "for what is happening in Poland today": The writer went on: "That should be enough invective to get past the censor; now to business..."

Bearing Crosses

Yet more from Jesus College, Oxford. It transpires that the former chaplain, whose name was Cross and who answered the phone, "Cross of Jesus", was but one of a trinity of namesakes there. I owe this knowledge to that most reliable rememberer, Harold Wilson, also a lesus man, who tells me the other two Crosses were the steward of the senior common room and a philosopher from St Andrews University, Wilson says it all became rather confusing and the following nomenclature was devised: the chief steward became Hot Cross, the philosopher St Andrews Cross and the chaplain Holy Cross.

 More still. Now the headmaster of Downside, Philip Jebb, tells me he recently asked directory inquiries for the number of Christ's College, Cambridge; the voice at the other end said she could not find Christ's, but would Jesus do? Jebb then found out that she was spelling Christ's without the "h". I expect all these tales to be trumped by the new St Cross College, and await a flood, nay, a book of revelations.

Whale met

Conservationists are often in danger of taking things a little too seriously. At the Camden Arts and Music Festival, which opened this week, there was a dramatization of Melville's *Moby Dick*, complete with great white whale, when who should turn up in force but members of Greenpeace, which takes a dim view of harpooning. In fact they had not come to picket, simply to take up temporary residence in one of the 30 Camden Arts Workshops.

Sweden's King Carl Gustaf, who has already been stripped of all his powers by a Social Democratic government, was yesterday submit-ted to yet another indignity; a leading article in the main Stockholm paper Dagens Nyheter suggested that the royal family be turned into a state-owned company and made to pay its own way.

BARRY FANTONI



"I haven't told my mum, but I have told the woman my dad's living with"

Taking the Mick

A surprise speciator at the annual cricket match between The Times Literary Supplement and publishers on Thursday was a certain Michael Jagger, singer. He was seated at a table with his ghost autobiographer John Ryle, deputy literary editor of The Sunday Times, whose task has not been made easy by Jagger's less than precise memory and itinerant way of life. The two were sifting through a pile of Ryle's draft pages the Shepherds Bush ground tells me Jagger seemed rather more interested in the cricket.

In the picture

Agitation in arts and heritage circles over the Government's failure to appoint an arts spokesman in the Commons seems to be the result of difficulty in finding a suitable candidate. One minister is understood to have turned down the post already. Hopes are now being pinned on John Biffen, who, as well as having the necessary clout as a senior Cabinet minister, was until recently a trustee of the National Portrait Gallery.



Harassed press officers at the Wimbledon tennis championships have been cracking down on friends and relatives of the press corps

borrowing official passes to get a glimpse of McEnroe and Co. A considerable number of impostors have been "arrested" and ejected from the press boxes including pregnant wives and young children. The press office prize catch, however, was the young son of Peter Preston, editor of The Guardian.

When an affair is not enough

Looking back on the election, committed Alliance supporters are wondering if the miracle can be pulled off again. For miracle it was. Two fiercely independent parties had agreed on a joint manifesto and a prime minister designate.

More than ,600 constituencies had been carved up, with the rank and file falling into step behind their leaders in every case but three. With 7.7 million votes, the Alliance seemed assured of a dazzling future.

But in spite of its shiny exterior, the Alliance is an unwieldy craft and the task of keeping it afloat and sorting out its mechanical problems is frighteningly com-plex. It took months of drafting, hours of discussion and meetings well into the night for the manifesto to emerge. It took almost a year of hard bargaining, some acrimony, and not a little in-fighting for agreement on constituency allocation.

With European elections due next year, but with little or no prospect of proportional representation for those or future Westminster elections, the two parties are seriously having to consider a merger - or, at the very least, how to prolong what purists in the two camps have come to regard as an adulterous relationship forced on them by the wicked first-past-the-post electoral system. The alternative, given the hairline cracks

be a temptation for those associations which are forging ahead with local politics to adopt their own parliamentary or Euro candidate irrespective of the wishes of the other party in the Alliance.

which have appeared since the election, will

Prospective Liberal candidates were prepared to stand down last time to cement

by Alastair Brett

the Alliance and because the Steel master plan was seen as the best chance of breaking the two-party system. They will be less willing to do so again because of the belief, though not the fact, that on June 9 the SDP was less attractive to voters.

Without some sort of merger the process of deciding which party's candidate is most likely to win a seat can too easily become an eve-scratching local beauty contest with the Association of Liberal Councillors, a defiantly independent body and thorn in Steel's side, playing a key role. In all three constituencies where there was trouble over the selection of an Alliance candidate, a Liberal association with an established power base on the local council refused



Steel and Owen: can the bonhomie at the top be

point-blank to make way for the nationally endorsed Social Democrat.

One way out would be for the parties to agree on temporary joint membership of a revamped Alliance. Thus, instead of Liverals and Social Democrats going their separate ways, electing their own executives and selecting their own candidates, one local executive formed from the two parties would control all activities.

If the Alliance does move towards this kind of system it would clearly have to be done at joint meetings of Liberals and Social Democrats all over the country. This would almost certainly mean a constitutional change for the SDP in its selection procedure. At present this is done through a postal ballot of what Liberals see as a paper membership rather than at meetings where candidates have to make speeches, answer questions, and only those bothering to attend are able to vote.

In the general election, inarticulate and politically inept SDP candidates were sometimes chosen because large numbers of postal votes were cast by people not attending the selection meeting and judging candidates on paper rather than on performance.

Merger or not, if the Alliance is to become the real alternative to Thatcherism it must avoid unseemly squabbles between grass-roots activists and build on the bonhomie which exists higher up. That way it will sooner or later find its hands on the levers of power and be able to introduce the ultimate solution to the problem: proportional representation.

The author stood as a Liberal parliamentary candidate in 1979.

Peter Nichols on the background to the Italian general election



Two men, one dead, the other in prison, who have figured prominently in the Italian election campaign: banker Roberto Calvi (left), found hanging from Blackfriars Bridge, and Licio Gelli, who manipulated the P2 masonic lodge for political ends. Right, a newspaper advertisement showing how the Iron Lady factor is being manipulated by Giovanni Spadolini, the former Republican prime minister



Votate per i reguirblicani, votate per Spadolini.

Voters in the general election tomorrow and Monday will be hard put to decide whether they are supposed to be giving a moral judgment on how their country has been governed, or a political one on

its future. Since the campaign began, skeletons have been jumping out of cupboards with alarming frequency. Socialists in the Ligurian region leading socialists in Genoa had ties with the scandal of the P2 masonic lodge which broke two years ago and involved, among others, Roberto Calvi, the banker found dead a year

ago hanging under Blackfriars Bridge in London. The masonic scandal, despite obvious efforts to bury it, refuses to obvious efforts to bury it, refuses to go away. If anything, its implications are getting worse. Essentially, the "Propaganda Two" was an old masonic lodge with a perfectly honourable past which had been reconstituted by Signor Licio Gelli, now in prison in Switzerland, as a political instrument which included political instrument which included among its members the heads of the secret service and leading political

and public figures. When the list of more than 900 people said to belong to it was made known, the government fell. Senator Giovanni Spadolini, of the Republican Party, and the first prime

Scandals that could sway the vote

from the ranks of the Christian have been hit by arrests on Democrats, formed a government is corruption charges. This led to June 1981 which was pledged to describe renewed interest in allegations that with "the moral emergency" Democrats, formed a government in June 1981 which was pledged to deal namely the situation revealed by the P2 inquiry.

He finally fell last December, without having been able to complete the moral change. His successor, Senator Amintore Fanfani, the present Prime Minister and a Christian Democrat, made no similar pledge in his programme to hound out the corrupters and the corrupt. No sooner, however, had the electoral campaign begun than Signora Tina Anselmi, the Christian Democrat who presided over the parliamentary commission of in-quiry into the P2 affair, voiced her nexions between the lodge and the murder of Aldo Moro, the former Christian Democrat prime minister and architect of his agreement with the communists.

The Red Brigades, the terrorist movement responsible for the kidnapping and murder of Moro,

minister since the war not drawn was one of the elements in the most recent and embarrassing scandals for the Christian Democrats to emerge during the campaign.

Investigation into the Camorra, the Neapolitan version of the Mafia. last week resulted in many arrests. Several Christian Democrat politicians and one socialist were mentioned in press reports on the inquiry as having had contacts with the Camorra. What will have impressed public opinion most, however, is the revival of allegations that Christian Democrats promoted: an agreement between the Camorra and the Red Brigades to bring about the release two years ago of Signor Ciro Cirillo, a Christian Democrat politician then held captive by terrorists

The new allegation, said to have come from three of the arrested suspects last week, is that the jailed head of the traditional Camorra, Raffaelo Cutolo, made this arrangement for a large ransom and other favours to be shared with the political terrorists on one hitherto unknown condition: that a document was drawn up naming a leading Christian Democrat as guarantor of the agreement.

This document was said to be Cutulo's life insurance and would have been published had either he or his sister met a violent end. Another intriguing aspect of these confessions is said to be that Camorra pressure was responsible for persuading Mehemet Ali Agca, the Turk who wounded the Pope, to make his famous confession which secret service in the attempt on the Pope's life. Agea and Cutulo were both in Asoli Piceno for several

Leading Christian Democrats have rejected the accusations against their party in the Cirillo affair as communist electoral manoeuvring. It certainly looks odd that so much should suddenly emerge only days before the vote.

Nevertheless, the electorate has not in the past shown much sensibility towards accusations of corruption against particular parties. The P2 affair, for instance, cannot be said to have had any effect at all on earlier voting when the whole business was much fresher in the voter's mind. And it is noticeable that people talk in much more shocked tones about a television personality arrested in the Camorra round-up than any of the politicians

The telephone to put a smile on your dial

The day when the picture-telephone becomes a part of everyday life is being brought closer by the latest advances in communications technology. This year British Telecom begins national trials of a new "videoconferencing" system which should be within the financial reach of every large company, though not yet of every household. Until now visual communications

have been far too expensive to use, except on special occasions, because participants need to be in a purposebuilt studio and because trans-mission lines with very high capacity are required to carry the pictures. BT has operated nine Confravision studios for the past decade but few customers have been tempted to pay £100 for halfan hour television.

The new videoconferencing service uses simpler and cheaper equipment, which can be installed unobtrusively in a customer's own offices, and a transmission system that uses the company's existing communications network rather than special television-capacity lines. The savings are achieved by a technique called "compression" which squeezes all the data needed to transmit the picture into a bandwidth 40 times narrower than a conventional television channel.

Compression removes all unnecessary information from the video signals. Instead of sending a completely new frame 25 times a second, compressed video concen-trates on the differences between frames. If someone is speaking against a static beckground, only his movements and changing ex-

pressions are transmitted. The equipment which GEC-



heads that are indistinguishable from high-quality video. They begin to blur only when the screen becomes full of rapid movement which would not happen during a normal business conference unless an executive went berserk in front of the camera.

This year's BT trial will link 40 offices in 17 companies. The standard mobile terminal has one camera and two screens built into a veneered cabinet, looking like a double television set. A second camera above a stand films documents or objects. The system can be wheeled into any meeting room with normal lighting levels.

European telecommunications authorities have thrashed out a common standard to make international videoconferencing possible. They are now pressing the Americans to adopt it as a world standard. dian. McMichael is producing for British

The United States already has two incompatible systems, one devel-

oped by Compression Labs of California and the other originating with NEC in Japan, whose users cannot communicate with one

another nor with the Europeans. GEC-McMichael, the only Euro-pean manufacturer to enter the US market, has just made its first sale to an American company for transatlantic videoconferencing and it hopes for millions of dollars worth of orders in the United States. "We in the United Kingdom have a world lead in this technology," says Tim Duffy, manager of McMichael's videoconferencing division. Videoconferencing is still far from

cheap, even after the recent technological advances. BT refuses to discuss the charges it is likely to levy after the trial network becomes a commercial service in 1984. How-ever, McMichael is selling its compression equipment in the United States for \$100,000 (about

Even at that level, large com-panies could justify videoconferenc-ing on the basis of the fares, expenses and travel time saved by highly paid executives who would otherwise be flying across the world to meetings. Of course, frisky young business executives may be horrified by the prospect of losing opportunities to get away and have fun, but they should be outnumbered by their weary colleagues welcoming the chance to spend more time at

Whether a face-to-face meeting is

in any sense "better" than a videoconference is a different question. BT staff with experience of Confravision say that most new comers feel nervous when they first sit in front of the camera but soon warm up and relax. Some even enjoy playing up to the camera and watching themselves on the moni-tor. On the whole, video sessions are conducted more crisply and efficiently than personal meetings because participants do not feel obliged to draw out proceedings so as to justify all the time they have spent travelling to the conference. But a market research firm in the United States, International Resource Development, reported recently that many Americans react against videoconferencing because they are so used to slick television

performers that they are put off seeing inarticulate and badly dressed colleagues on the screen. The company also claimed that videoconferences fail because participants subconciously miss smelling one another's emotional reactions as they speak. The suggested solution is a tele-scent machine to give the impression that the other people are in the same room.

Technology Correspondent | conference hall.

Malcolm Deas

Will Bolivar now do us a good turn?

Yesterday was the 162nd anniver-sary of Simon Bolivar's victory in the Battle of Carabobo, in which a British battalion played a critical part in ending Spanish rule in Venezuela July 24 is the bi-centenary of Bolivar's birth in Caracas. Various events will commemorate his achievement, and the part that Britain, or certain British, played in them. In the present uncertain state of our foreign relations, these have more than just a ritual interest.

Bolivar was undoubtedly a great man in an age that was peculiarly avid for glory - a slighly pre-Victo-rian value - he is worthy compe-tition for Washington, Napoleon, Wellington and Nelson, and he had far fewer means at his command. His personality compelled attention, and generated descriptions from most of the British who encountered him: "His face ... full and round, with a natural smile that rendered it pleasing without hurting that air of superiority which lurked in a dark and intelligent eye, the angry glance of which was benumbing. This eye culivened a studious cast of countenance, whether natural or acquired I cannot say. His proclamations were numerous, and well adapted to their purpose. He spoke little in company, and had a great dislike to tipplers, babblers, idlers, gamesters and duellists."

His vivacity still comes through even in the learned monuments to his memory, and tempts one to try to convey some of it. General Daniel O'Leary, his Irish aide, must have felt the same temptation when making rough notes for his memoirs "His decrees were sometimes original ... a curate, who was no great patriot, sought a pro-fessional advacement. The Liberator's decree was laconic, tho' not polite 'A c***o, mi padre'."

In the sometimes heavy atmosphere of commemoration, it is also a relief to read that when George Canning took upon himself the creation of the new republic with "I called the New World into existnce to redress the balance of the old", a moment of profound silence followed, broken only by the sound of faint mocking laughter from a corner of the chamber. Only then did "a wild burst of cheering and applause speed through the house". One realist there, at least.

Bolivar bimself indulged his British troops. The Scottish soldier Alexander, after noting his aversion to duellists, goes on to say, "He allowed the English to fight duels, but any (south) American who fought was shot for the offence...He was very fond of the English often talked about England, and placed much confidence in the British.

"Out of policy and regard for Britain, he pardoned many villains, giving them passports and rations until they embarked, and even money to carry them off... Bolivar only dismissed them with these words, 'Make out his passport to leave the country' then turning to the culprit, 'Do not thank me for this, sir, your country saves you'."

Bolivar needed British money, and was prepared to put up with the The author is lecturer in Latin mania for duelling, the insistence of American politics at St Antony's maintaining fine class distinctions. College, Oxford.



'placed much confidence in the British'

the incessant pay demands and frequent lapses of discipline of the British volunteers. He also recognized that some of them, officers and men, were among the best soldiers he had, experienced, steady and loyal. In campaigns with few veterans, many desertions and small but decisive encounters, they could

make a lot of difference. O'Leary, Rooke, O'Connell, Ferriar, Ferguson, Wright, Sandes are all deservedly remembered in South America. The lists in local archives contain many humbler names often half-hispanicized: Tomas, Jones, Enrique, Bates, Juan, Smith . . . who, one wonders, was Corporal Jacobo

Betcherman? "Still," concluded the puritanical Alexander, "the name of English soldiers was a host, as their cool and steady conduct in action, even when on the brink of the grave from fatigue and disease, was the theme and admiration of the royalists and patriots. Had it not been for this, they would not have been toler-

Just as their failings are outweighed by their contribution, there were real merits too in British diplomacy, besides Canning's bom-bast. We pursued our own interests, but in a more enlightened fashion than our rivals. George IV refused to sign treaties that contained the word "republic" in English, but was prepared to swallow republica. He was persuaded by the Duke of Wellington, a conservative and a realist, to receive the envoys of the

new countries. Wellington certainly admired Bolivar's achievement, though he later gave it as his opinion that ambition undid him at the end. One might think that rather an easy criticism to make from the splendours of Apsley House. Britain was the first to recognize the changed state of affairs in the Americas, an initiative that Bolivar fervently desired, which gave us a lasting reputation in South America as a benevolent and progressive power, and to which frequent reference will be made in the speeches of the

coming month. The difference between this year and past years is not only the added significance of Bolivar's bi-centencary: it is that the post-Falklands andience will be listening more closely to hear anything between the

Richard Dowden

Peace: a platform for the West

young Irish priest stood up to the Polish secret police. He resisted the four young men in least-order that the young Polish delegate men in least-order than the young Polish delegate men in least four young men in leather jackets and jeans who were trying to direct him into the back of a car. He shouted at their keeper, an older, rather nervous man in a brown suit How do I know you're policemen? You might be a bunch of thugs! Where's your indentification?"

The brown-suited gentlemen took out a badge on a chain from his trouser pocket but would not let the priest examine it. As the tussle continued around the car I saw another conference delegate passing by and shouted to him that we had en arrested and to telephone the British consul.

Had we gone quietly we might have seen more of the workings of the secret police. As it was, the rumpus alerted them to our identity. About 15 minutes later we were

We were delegates to the Peace Conference for Christians held in Warsaw in September 1979 to mark the anniversary of the invasion of Poland in 1939.

The conference was similar to that now being held in Prague. It brought together Christians from all over eastern and western Europe for three days at the expense of the Polish government. The western delegates tended to be natural critics of their own systems; those from the east had more mixed attributes. Many of them, even the organizers, were often critical of their systems, but only in private.

The conference was an inter-minable succession of abstract speeches, concluded with a partyline communique which was written before the conference started.

I was invited as editor of the Catholic Herald. On the one hand I had to consider the danger of being used by the authorities in seeming to support their policies and the danger of compromise in accepting free travel. Against that I argued that I could write what I liked about the conference and the country when I got home and that if I did not go on those terms I would be unlikely to go at all on my budget.

After much reflection I agreed to Clive Cookson go, but determined not to spend all people, who have not opted out with my time in the comfort of the dissidents but, I suspect,

attending mass at the Cathedral rather than the Verdi Requiem being performed in the Old Town Square. As the Benediction drew the mass to a close the worshippers in the back pews flowed out into the main street and off towards Victory Square. Banners were unfurled and leaflets distributed.

With the Irish priest and the other British visitors I was swept along. Uniformed police held the traffic to let the crowd pass. A young man called Tomaz, who spke English, explained the aims of the march as we made for the square. Suddenly the young men in black leather jackets seized him from behind and dragged him to a car. We were still aghast at what had

happened when we, too, were surrounded and held. The next day at the conference I booked the microphone for a short

speech on human rights. It was impossible, I said, to speak of human rights in the abstract. I bad had my rights violated twice; once in Northern Ireland and once the previous night, here in Warsaw. Delegates to conferences winced,

the translators stopped their work, the chairman waved at me to stop. I saw a Russian delegate straining to understand my English as I continued

Afterwards, in the corridors, I received grins and thanks from delegates from the East, though some from the West felt I was: copardizing conferences such as this and had been ill-mannered to our hosts. The young Poles were particularly amused. Later that day we received an apology from a government official and Tomaz was

The visit was justified. The conference, aithough state-funded, could not be entirely state-controlled and could be turned into criticism of . the state. Far from being shunned, I have been invited back by the organizers of that conference and a similar one in East Germany. Some of the eastern delegates, though not dissident material themselves, were clearly delighted to hear criticism of their governments, which they themselves could not express. These people, who have not opted out with

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MINISTER FOR RATES

orities on the ground of public

In 1980 it prepared the way for a block grant method of distributing rate support grant. At the same time it appointed annual targets of expenditure for each council and took powers to withhold grants from councils that overspent their targets. That ended a system under which higher local expenditure almost automatically attracted higher central grant and the only form of penalty in the hands of the government hit the thrifty along with the spendthrift.

In 1982 legislation was brought in to cancel councils' power to levy a supplementary rate, to enlarge the minister's discretionary power to withhold grant, and to institute a centralized and supposedly more searching form of local audit.

Each time the Government was met by the complaint, not least from its own supporters, that it was violating the remaining autonomy of local authorities and overthrowing the "constitutional" balance between central and local powers. Mr Heseltine was the author of these apparently contra-conservative measures, and Mr Tom King their chief parliamentary executioner.

The defence was first that it was not the Government but blacksheep Labour councils who were the aggressors, since they were abusing the convention that councils respond to the government-of-the-day's general wishes concerning the volume of local expenditure; and second that the measures anyway did not invade the citadel of local financial autonomy, a council's power to set its own rates. Mr King in

Hansard January 18 1982: I stand by the statement that I made on an earlier occasion . . . It remains the case that while the Government still has a responsibility for the distribution of grant, the levels of rates are the responsibility of the local authorities. They have to determine them and remain answerable to

So often and so emphatically did not work like that. The relation-

examination, they are unwilling

to borrow a good idea from someone else. Yesterday, a mere

hundred and nineteen years after

the founding of the first Inter-

national Working Men's Associa-

tion, and in the same city, the

International Democratic Union

came into being. Following in the steps of the Liberals (Liberal

International, 1947) and of the

Christian Democrats (Nouvelles

Equipes Internationales, 1947;

Intercontinental Committee of

Christian Democracy, 1958), the

conservatives of the world have

at last gathered their forces for

conservatism, with the camera

angle widening from the national

through the European to the

worldwide dimension, could not

have been better chosen. "At its

birth," declared the hostess (or

should one say the midwife?).

"we can already claim the support of 150 million people -

double the size of the Socialist

International. It girdles the

carth." One recalls the closing scene of Eisenstein's Ivan The

Terrible: in the foreground the

majestic ruler, newly consecrated

by popular acclaim; in the

background, stretching into the

The Manpower Services Com-

mission's acronyms, from YOP

to WEEP, have caused some

always been able to still the

doubts that all this bustle served

only to keep young people temporarily off the streets. But in

the absence of political inspi-

ration in coping with mass unemployment the MSC has

performed well its sisyphean task

of pushing numbers off the top

of the unemployment aggregates

and along the way giving indi-

viduals hope and a better chance

Its success has come from the

team effort of its commissioners,

representing both sides of indus-

try and education, and its

network of officials and their

contacts in firms and public

authorities throughout the land.

The issues before the MSC have

rarely come to a vote. The more

divided are the commissioners

the less effective they are likely

to be and the less able to present

to the Secretary of State for

Employment and his Cabinet

colleagues unpalatable projec-

tions of vacancies and school-

of finding work.

enterprising officials have not of trainees

mirth, and the commission's versus employers) over the issue

unfortunate.

The time for an apotheosis of

the great counter-attack.

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be said that, after mature strength.

In its long and continuing Mr King draw that line, that it is ship of financial accountability wrestling match with local author no surprise to find, now that the and responsibility between coun-Government is about to obliterexpenditure the post-79 Con- ate the distinction, that Mr King servative administration has has slipped off to transport and twice changed the rules of the his place at the head of the contest. It is about to do so environment department is taken by Mr Patrick Jenkin who arrives uncompromised by any previous experience of the matter.

The Government has announced its intention, and will seek to legislate this session to give effect to it, to take power to determine rate limits for selected local authorities, and a reserve power to set rate limits for all authorities if necessary.

Does it really need these additional powers, which are unquestionably subversive of local autonomy? It hardly needs them for its macroeconomic purposes of managing the economy and regulating the public finances. English local auth-orities' planned expenditure exceeds Whitehall's target this year by £770 million or about 4 per cent. Past experience suggests the excess may turn out to be less. More than half of it is accounted for by authorities, the GLC etc., which the Government proposes to abolish anyway. The remainder is well within the margin of standard estimating error in public sums of this magnitude. Moreover "overspending" in that way does not directly affect either of the two main preoccupations of recent governments in relation to public expenditure. It does not add to public borrowing since it is fully covered by revenue raised by rates, and it does not increase inflationary pressure for the same reason.

There is another more cogent reason for assuming this new power, a reason partly of the Government's own making. The sanction it took to secure compliance with its local expenditure targets was not merely to see that excess expenditure falls wholly on the rates, but to add a fine in the form of withdrawal of grant, rising sharply with the level of excess. This is supposed to place a local democratic constraint on erring councillors mindful of the electoral day of reckoning with their ratepayers.

But in too many places it does

ENTER THE CONINTERN

The worldwide ascendancy of

conservatism in democratic poli-

tics has indeed become a rather

striking phenomenon. Dr Kohl,

Mr Bush and Mrs Thatcher all

represent parties which were in

opposition five years ago but are now riding high. Also rep-resented as the Liberal Demo-

cratic Party of Japan, no new-

comer to power but, under Mr

Nakasone's leadership, more resolutely and unambiguously

conservative than ever before.

Even Scandinavia, traditional

bastion of social democracy, has

sent two conservative prime

ministers to the London meet-

ing. Sweden, it is true, has

reverted to its old gods, and

Southern Europe seems oddly

out of phase, with France, Spain,

Portugal, Greece all languishing

to vote tomorrow, but without

real worries. Conservative

forces, in the shape of Christian

Democracy, are as firmly en-

sconced in power as ever and look well placed to see off the impudent Socialist challenger of

Signor Craxi. Yet, together with

their homologues in the Low Countries, Italian Christian

THE TRAINING TAKES PRIORITY

leavers' numbers. So Thursday's

straight division of the com-

mission (labour plus education

On the face of it, it appears

mean to refuse to increase the allowance of £25 a week now

paid to participants in the youth

training scheme (which is meant

to encompass all jobless school-

leavers); the figure was set a year

ago and the unions wanted an

extra £1.45 a week. But there

are good reasons why, as Mr

Norman Tebbit has already

hinted, the Government will

ignore the unions' victory in the

looks so trivial in the individual

case, produces a large increase in

the MSC budget when that

desired increase is multiplied by

the 450,000 participants in the

scheme - numbers all con-

ditional on unemployment not

growing beyond the official projections. If the MSC budget is

to be prevented from growing

beyond plan then the increased

allowance would have to be paid

from the global sum allocated

employers in the scheme to

The arithmetic, which often

commissioners' vote.

allowances was

And where is Italy? Preparing

under socialist rule.

Conservatives by definition are distance, the mass of the people Democrats are still anachronisti-

slow to change. But never let it from whose support he draws his

cils and their local electors has been been allowed to atrophy. The system is already rotten at its extremities where commercial and industrial ratepayers, who have no vote as such, pay by far the larger part of the total; where, as everywhere, there are many electors who receive no rate demand; where a substantial proportion of domestic ratepayers are screened from rate rises by rebates or benefits; where council tenants and council employees, who have a superior interest in public prodigality, are thick on the ground. Ratepayers, commercial and domestic, who find themselves in that position may become the victims of a tug of war between central and local politicians.

They deserve protection. The protection ought to be provided by a systematic reform the financial and electoral basis of local government. That is an undertaking fit for a Conservative government with a safe perch and long views, which ought to feel acutely uncomfortable at being party to the steady conversion of local government into localized central administration, ought to fear the consequences of that development when central direction is in others' hands, and ought to feel an impulse to revive local government as an organism for the diffusion of power, the accommodation of diversity and the exercise of responsibility.

Selective power to set a limit to rates may now be the only way to protect ratepayers in special cases of gross abuse; but it should not be divorced from a policy of general reform that would eventually render use of the power unnecessary. The Government's intention to tack on general reserve power to set limits everywhere betrays despair of the possibility of reviving the local accountability of local government. It is too soon to despair, and a Conservative administration should be the last to give way to it. If Ministers persist in seeking that ominous and unnecessary extension of the array of central controls over decisions, Parliament

cally bashful about their con-

servatism, and have stayed away

That poses a problem of dual loyalty for the German Christian

Democrats. In London they may

be conservatives but in Stras-

bourg they are still Christian

Democrats vor alles. There,

indeed, M Jacques Chirac's

Gaullists still prefer the com-

pany of Fianna Fail to that of

British Conservatives, who have

to make do with Mr Kent Kirk,

the intrepid trawlerman, as their

Which makes one wonder

what all this internationalism

really amounts to. Do the 150

million voters notionally rep-

resented in London this week-

end really have anything in

common that they do not share

also with Christian Democrats,

Liberals and even democratic

Socialists? Never mind. The

reaffirmation that one can be

conservative without being auth-

oritarian, patriotic without being

chauvinist, and that belief in the

free market is not incompatible

with accepting a duty, as Mrs

Thatcher put it, to "use our joint

resources to help bring the

benefits of economic prosperity

to the developing countries", is

welcome and should be heard

cover both allowances and

training costs. Mr David Young,

the MSC chairman, asked

whether an extra pound in the

trainee's pocket was worth a

diminution in the quality of

training or workplace super-

deserve "indexation" of their

allowance? If they were state

pensioners in the same way as

the old, the unemployed and the

poor, there would be a case. But

the youth scheme embodies an

attempt to "add value" by

means of training and work

experience; the status of partici-

pants is a temporary one; their

remuneration is meant to bear

some ultimate relationship with

labour market rewards. Mr

Tebbit's most compelling argu-

ment is likely to be that the

present level of allowance is

already, for a 16 year old,

relatively generous. Come November the supplementary

benefit for such a young mem-

ployed person living at home will be less than £16.50, implying

that the trainee allowance could

stay fixed at its present level for

some time without the differen-

tial wearing away.

But do youth trainees not

vision: the answer is no.

loud and clear.

solitary benchmate.

should refuse them.

from London.

Call for building societies reform

From Lord Young of Dartington

Sir, What is striking about the latest rise in the building societies' mortgage rate, apart from it being so unwelcome, is that once again the societies are acting together instead of in competition with each other. The building societies cartel is, in other words, still very much in existence.

May we hope that the Government, professing as it does an interest in competition, will at last take action to abolish this cartel and, in the interest of consumers, at the same time carry out the many other reforms that are required in building societies? Sir Geoffrey Howe proposed the need for reform while he was still Chancellor.

It is a pity there was nothing about legislation on this in the Queen's speech. But at least Mr Lawson could now begin preparing for legislation in the next ses Can we hope that he will do so?

Yours etc. MICHAEL YOUNG, House of Lords

From Mrs Diana Golding

Sir. If the building societies are so short of funds why do they not offer a discount (such as council tenants receive) to encourage the elderly to complete the purchase of their houses quickly? Many of us with a few thousands owing would be delighted to repay the outstanding debt, even if it meant borrowing temporarily from other sources. Yours faithfully,

DIANA GOLDING. Earnley Gate, Earnley, Chichester, West Sussex.

Taking the heat out

From Mr Tom Dalby

Sir, In his article yesterday (June 20) Mr Gerald Kaufman stated that the greatest challenge facing the Labour Party was the recovery of credibility and, indeed, the credibility gap is very wide. Reference is made to Harold Wilson's celebrated speech at the 1963 Conference when the "white heat" of the technological revolution was directed at the conference delegates, signalling "a new kind of Labour Party, up-todate, even ahead of the times and eager to demonstrate its managerial

The white heat seemed to be of short duration and it was twenty years later - at the Labour Party conference last autumn - that a resolution was approved to set up a Labour Party science and technology group and that party policy should include support for innovative technology. Mr Douglas Hoyle then replied for the NEC stating that a comprehensive report on the future of science and technology should be placed before next year's conference.

This slow response to the international technological and marketing problems which rapidly developed in the post-war years has been noted by the electorate, which may not be especially enthusiastic about the present government, but believes it may have at least one foot on the ground.

Yours faithfully, TOM DALBY. 4 Westbourne Park, Scarborough, North Yorkshire. June 21.

Military degree

From Mr Michael F. Davis Sir. While expanding on the Duke of recommendations Edinburgh's (report, June 3) that military science should be taken far more seriously, your correspondents surprisingly fail to mention what is clearly a very desirable factor in such studies: a

knowledge of Russian. Since Soviet political and military opinion is not monolithic, trends in that opinion need to be identified and analyzed as soon as they

From a less Eurocentric viewoint, Chinese would also seem to e desirable. Yours faithfully. MICHAEL F. DAVIS, 12 Beach Road.

Clock symphony

Emsworth, Hampshire.

June 16.

From Mrs Elisabeth Walker

Sir, Mr Ranage-Gibson (June 17) suggests that sufferers from Parkinson's disease and diabetes need to wear audible watches during concerts for medical reasons.

Whilst I am most sympathetic to the needs of Parkinson sufferers and diabetics - indeed I work with the former and married one of the latter - I must point out that they are both diseases which mainly affect adults, the vast majority of whom are more than capable or remembering to take regular medication and certainly would not dream of setting an audible watch to sound in midconcert.

Yours faithfully, ELISABETH WALKER, 23 Oueensmere Road. Wimbledon, SW19.

Comprehensive point

From Mr Brian Tregar Sir, Surely the Headmaster of Langley Park School for Boys (June 22) is not so much scoring a comprehensive point as making a logical error? The ability of Eton and Stowe to exclude pupils for mac-ceptable behaviour perhaps says more about the standards of those schools who lack the simple right to **SZY 110.**

Yours faithfully, BRIAN TREGAR, 15 Havelock Road, Brighton, Sussex.

Thinking and listening to some purpose

Suffolk

June 24.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

From Sir John Hoskyns

Sir, Jock Bruce-Gardyne ("What use a tank that leaks?" June 22) assumes that it was the CPRS (Central Policy Review Staff) itself that leaked details of its paper on the future of the NHS. I did not realise that this had, in fact, been established. It certainly seems more likely that leaks about such a controversial paper would emanate from somewhere within the large departments potentially affected, rather than from the minute team (of ambitious high-fliers) which had drafted the paper and was presumably not keen to sabotage its own work.

A leak from elsewhere in White-

hall seems even more likely if, as reports of the incident suggested, the Cabinet Office (within which the CPRS is based) inadvertently gave the CPRS paper wide circulation and low security classification. An important lesson from the CPRS/NHS episode is that no one should be asked to generate possible solutions to a problem until that problem has been properly defined (often a more difficult and laborious task than at first appears) and the definition has been agreed by all who are concerned with its solution. To plunge into "options" before this has been done is a sure way to confusion. This has been elementary management teaching since the early sixties, but is still not understood in Whitehall.

The infantile response of Westminster and most of Fleet Street to any attempt to think about anything, thinkable or unthinkable, is disturbing. Expenditure on the NHS, effectively free at the point of consumption, grew in real terms by over 17 per cent between the elections of 1979 and 1983, at a time of deep recession. Was this good news or bad?

To what level of taxation will free supply and the rising price of technology-driven medical treatment take us by 1990? is medical care potentially one of tomorrow's growth services, whose supply is being arbitrarily constrained by politicians (with great consequent hardship) because it must somehow be provided "free"? We don't know who, if anyone, is

trying to grapple with these ques-tions, or whether the CPRS might have helped the Government to do so. But it seems unlikely that a Policy Planning Unit in DHSS, for example, staffed with apolitical permanent civil servants, most of whom will have spent their working lives in that department, will break new ground.

Sir Geoffrey Howe has repeatedly tried to get these great issues on to

Arrest of Dr Geremek

the agenda while there was still time to work out some answers, and still time to educate public opinion about them. But Westminster/Whitehall /Fleet Street seem determined not to think about such unthinkable things

until it is too late. We must hope that Mr Nigel Lawson persists and is successful. Yours faithfully. JOHN HOSKÝNS. Windrush, Great Waldingfield, ıdbury,

From Mr David Howell, MP for Guildford (Conservative) Sir, As someone who had a hand in the plans for setting up the CPRS

may I comment on your leader of June 18, "Emptying the tank". It is not quite correct to imply that the main purpose of the CPRS was to be a permanent body of authorised saboteurs at the centre of government, paid to think the unthinkable, although some may

have thought it should be.

What was also intended from the outset was that the new body should act as a vigorous instrument of change in Whitehall, pushing the departments into much more systematic and continuous questioning of their own ever-expanding activities - questioning especially whether long-established functions really were still necessary, what their purpose was, whether they could be done better by private enterprise, or whether they should be terminated.

The daring questions of a decade or more ago have become the more widely accepted habits of thinking in departments today (although not widely enough) and the same more innovative attitudes have spread into state industries and local government as well.

In bringing about this undoubted change of climate the CPRS certainly played a valuable administrative part, especially in more recent years. In other words, it completed what it was assigned to do on this front. To wind it up was therefore entirely sensible and consistent with the very approach it was helping to inject into the rest of the bureaucracy.

As for thinking up unthinkable ideas about Government strategy there are plenty of people and groups around who can do that. Perhaps even HM Opposition may play a part when it has got its act Yours faithfully,

DAVID HOWELL, House of Commons.

the cooperation of the Polish

From Dr Ellen Kennedy

Sir, On May 17, in preparation for the Pope's arrival, the Polish government arrested Dr Bronislaw Geremek on three vague charges. First, it is alleged that Dr Geremek gave misleading information about Poland's economic and political circumstances to the Italian news-paper, Il Tempo; secondly, he is charged with participating in the formation of an illegal organisation. a charge that refers to the meeting of Polish trade unionists at the beginning of May that was not kept secret by its organisers, but which the Militia nevertheless broke up; third, it is alleged that Dr Geremek is a "danger to public order" in Poland. His family was not informed of his arrest until two days later and Dr Geremek is still being held in Warsaw's Kakowiecki Prison.

Dr Geremek, who is Director of the Medieval Section of the Polish Academy of Science, was one of Walesa's closest advisers - but a man of moderation, who never forgot the real constraints that have been imposed on Polish politics since the Second World War. While he is deeply committed to greater freedom for the Polish people, he understands that this goal cannot be forced upon an unwilling regime but must be attained with and through

leadership. Perhaps most disturbingly, he finds himself largely outside the normal channels of protection and help in Poland, the party and the Church. He left the Polish Communist Party in 1968 after the invasion of Czechoslovakia. As the son of a Rabbi who died during the Nazi persecution of Polish Jews, he is not a son of the Catholic Church and cannot expect Bronislaw Geremek's fate now

depends entirely on his friends and family in Poland and on the support he receives from the West. The situation is now extremely urgent: he has already been interned once, for a year and a half after the imposition of martial law, and he suffers from rheumatism of the spine, decalcification and stomach ulcers.

As a child Bronislaw Geremek was brought out of the Warsaw ghetto two weeks before the start of the uprising in April, 1943. After so much suffering, it is now hoped that the Polish government will be encouraged by support for him from the West to release Dr Geremek without delay. Yours faithfully,

ELLEN KENNEDY. University of York, Department of Politics, Heslington, York. June 20.

Work for unemployed

From Mrs Marie Forsyth

Sir, I am not surprised that the Manpower Services Commission takes four months to "complete the necessary paperwork" (June 22). They are probably in league with the

Last October I started full-time employment and asked the DHSS if I were entitled to make reduced National Insurance contributions. My local office "checked with Newcastle" and six months later Newcastle finally agreed that I was

entitled to the reduction and informed me that I would be sent a white card to claim my refund. In May (two months later) the white card arrived. I duly claimed the refund and was told yesterday that it was unlikely to arrive before the end of July.

Why? What are they doing in Newcastle? Perhaps Bernard Levin could investigate. Yours sincerely. MARIE FORSYTH 28 Stockerston Road

Uppingham,

Rikhoto judgment

From Mrs Felicia Kentridge Sir, Michael Hornsby's report on the Rikhoto judgment on Friday, June 17, has clearly defined the issues that

dgment raises. It may be, however, that one of the essential qualities of the Legal Resources Centre to which he refers is not as clear. The centre, which now has an

office in Durban as well as Johannesburg, has a professional staff, barristers and solicators, of 15. Five of these lawyers are black. In addition six law-graduate assistants spend a year working at the centre. Five of these assistants are black.

It is an essential principle of the centre that posts are filled with the best people available. We do not rest on the figures quoted above, but I draw your attention to them to qualify the description of the centre as "a group of white lawyers". Yours faithfully,

FELICIA KENTRIDGE, Legal Resources Centre, P.O. Box 9495, Johannesburg, South Africa. June 20.

Beauty spoiled

From Mr John M. Whittaker Sir, I appreciate Mr Kercher's concern (June 18) regarding noise pollution in Lakeland, but regret his

nothing justifies" conclusion.

Walking the fells in May, I endured the same low-flying jet fighter nuisance, but was pleased to

Mr Kercher may find it enlightening to have a chat with those brave young R.A.F. men who risk their lives playing "tag" in an area whose daunting topography provides a necessary challenge in their training.

They might be too modest to say that they were in the "game" of defending this country from possible aggression and, in particular, preserving for posterity that beamiful landscape he and I so much admire. Yours sincerely.

JOHN M. WHITTAKER. 4 Leicester Court, Bulkington, Nuneaton. Warwickshire. June 20.

Plant protection safeguards

From Dr F. B. O'Connor and Dr Max Wade

Sir, Dr Kenneth Marsh suggests (June 23) that seeds of plants that are rare in Britain should be collected abroad, where they are more common, or bulbs obtained from traders and planted in appropriate places in Britain. This is an understandable reaction to the depletions of many of our wild species, but is misguided.

The problem that Dr Marsh is seeking to tackle has arisen because habitats of these species have been destroyed. It can only be solved satisfactorily by reversing this trend. To bring in specimens and seeds from other sources is likely to be introducing genetic strains foreign to Britain and should not be contemplated without careful expert examination of the possible consequences

In certain cases introductions can even be illegal. But in all cases before any one considers such action they should seek advice from Nature Conservancy Council or the Botan-ical Society of the British Isles, who collaborate in examining such proposals

Yours faithfully F. B. O'CONNOR. Deputy Director General, Nature Conservancy Council, 19/20 Belgrave Square, SW1. MAX WADE, Chairman, Conservation Committee, Botanical Society of the British Isles, c/o British Museum (Natural History), Cromwell Road, SW7.

June 23.

Crime and punishment

From Mr James Rusbridger Sir. On the assumption that no one should suffer the death penalty without the benefit of trial by jury and independently corroborated evidence, it is difficult to see how these conditions could be satisfac-

torily achieved in Northern Ireland. The quality of evidence now accepted by the Diplock tribunals may be necessary to take men of violence off the streets, even if it means using paid informers and selfconfessed murderers granted immunity from prosecution, but it is certainly insufficient to exact the irreversible penalty of execution.

Furthermore, the use of the death penalty in such circumstances, apart from encouraging martyrdom, would lead to hostage-taking and reprisals, as happened in Palestine. Yours faithfully, JAMES RUSBRIDGER.

7 Tremena Road, St Austell, Cornwall. June 17.

Saving parish records

From Dr R. D. Reid

Sir, No doubt there are advantages in the collection of local documents in some central place under expert care, but there is another side to the

Just round the corner from this house was "the Probate Registry" of the Archdeaconry of Wells. When I was, literally, no more than a boy I enjoyed many hours there with the wills of local families and, most fortunately, copied the wills of my own ancestors. Thus, I started a lifelong interest in local history.

Then all was removed to some central building in Exeter with other Somerset documents and I was unable at that age to make the long journey to read them.

But worse followed as a bomb came down in the First World War and destroyed the lot. A member of the Somerset Archaeological Society spent the rest of his life, which unfortunately was short, in collect-ing and publishing the pieces, which people like myself had copied. Yours faithfully, R. D. REID, 8 Chamberlain Street,

Railway closure From Mr John Fleming

Wells, Somerset.

June 6.

Sir, As I understand it, Mr Geoffrey Sampson's fears about Ribblehead Viaduct (June 7) are unfounded since it is a listed building and therefore may not be demolished in any case. Since the structure must be maintained, it would surely make more sense to keep the trains using it, as Mr Field would wish, rather than to see it become a disused folly. Yours faithfully, JOHN FLEMING King William's College, Isle of Man. June 17.

On a clear day

postulates.

From Professor R. A. Weale Sir, Professor Weinberg's calculation (June 22) regarding circumterrestrial visibility is fascinating and raises the question of whether he does not allow himself to be carried too far by the hot air the existence of which he

Granted that he might be able to see his own back in the conditions he describes. But, even if not only the atmosphere but also his eyes were perfect, he could catch a glimpse of himself only if he could avail himself of a magnification of some 8,000 times. This could not be achieved with an ordinary pair of opera glasses but would need a telescope tube of one and a half miles (2.5km) in length.

To do its job, the telescope would have to go round the (earth's) bend. Professor Weinberg's back would also need to be illuminated to a degree incompatible with a cool objective appraisal of the situation, which is why I remain, Sir, Yours respectfully distant, R. A. WEALE, Director, Institute of Ophthalmology, Department of Visual Science, Judd Street, WC1.



COURT AND SOCIAL

COURT CIRCULAR

BUCKINGHAM PALACE June 24: The Lord Carrington had an audience of The Queen when Her Majesty invested him with the Insignia of a Member of the Order of the Companions of Honour. The Governor-General of Anti-gua and Barbuda and Lady Jacobs had the honour of being received by

Mr Lucian Freud had the honour of being received by The Queen when Her Majesty invested him with the Insignia of a Member of the Order of the Companions of

Miss Susan Derry had the honour of being received by The Queen when Her Majesty invested her with the Insignia of a Member of the Royal Victorian Order (Fifth Class). Mr M. J. Watts had the honour of being received by The Queen when Her Majesty decorated him with the Royal Victorian Medal (Silver). The Right Hon Malcolm and Mrs Fraser had the honour of being invited to luncheon with The

Queen.
The Prince Andrew this morning opened and toured the Mountbatten Centre, Alexandra Park, Ports-

His Royal Highness was received on arrival by Her Majesty's Lord-Lieutenant for Hampshire, Lieuten-ant-Colonel Sir James Scott, Bt, and the Lord Mayor of Porstmouth, Councillor L. A. Kitchen.

Mr A. J. Duncan and Miss C. M. Bird

Mr B. Cox and Miss K. M. Eadie

of Lincoln, and Katherine Mary, elder daughter of Dr and Mrs Eric Eadie, of Oxted. and Miss J. Hume Kendall

The engagement is announced between Philip, only son of Mr and Mrs G. P. Gilbert, of Walton-on-Thames, and Julia Anne, only daughter of the late Dr John Hume Kendall and Dr Susan Hume Kendall, of Hullbridge.

Mr A. J. M. Leather and Miss S. C. Williams

The engagement is announced between Andrew John Moffat, only son of Dr and Mrs Hugh M. Leather, of Leatside, Yelverton, South Devon, and Susan Catherine. cider daughter of Dr and Mrs Malcolm K. Williams, of Margate,

Mr P. A. Leonard-Morgan and Miss C. A. S. Frewin The engagement is announced between Peter, son of Major and Mrs William Leonard-Morgan, of Kensington, London, and Cathe-rine, daughter of Mr and Mrs Michael Frewin, of Paddington,

and Dr A. P. Cockburn The engagement is announced

G. N. Page and Mrs E. M. Boden and stepson of Mr G. Boden, of Penn. Wolverhampton, and Ann, daughter of Dr J. J. Cockburn and Mrs E. M. C. Cockburn, of Sutton,

Mr M. S. Rawlinson

and Miss J. K. C. Shepherd
The engagement is announced
between Mark Stobart, elder son of Mr and Mrs T. S. Rawlinson, of Fistree, Hertfordshire, and Julia, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs I. F. C. Shepherd, of Chipping Campden, Gloucestershire.

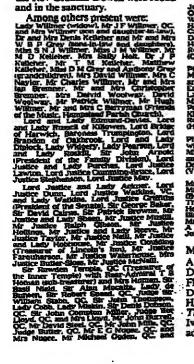
Birthdays

TODAY: Sir John Boles, 58; Mr Cyril Fletcher, 70; Licutenant General Sir Roland Guy, 55; Mr B A. Harwood, QC, 80; Rear-Admiral Desmond Hoare, 73; Mr H. B. Jacks, 80; Mr Eddie Large, 41; Mr Sidney Lumet, 59; Mr R. M. Morgan, 43; Mr Nicholas Morley, 60: Miss Doreen Wells, 46.

TOMORROW: Mr Claudio Abba TOMORROW: Mr Claudio Abbado. 50; Sir Campbell Adamson, 61; Professor Sir Ashley Clarke, 80; Lord Donnet of Balgay, 67; Mr Justice Eastham, 63; Mr Michael Elliott, 52; Mr Alexander Fenton, 54; Mr W. W. Hamilton, MP, 66; Professor Sir Keith Hancock, 85; Vice-Admiral Sir John Lancaster, 50; Sir Justin Lark Longland, 78; Dr Decider, 50; Sir Lark Longland, 80: Sir Jack Longland, 78; Dr Doris Odlum, 93; Professor A. T. Peacock, 61; Mr Ian Prestt, 54; Mr C. G.

Memorial services Sir Gordon Willmer

Willmer was held at the Temple Church on Thursday. The Master of the Temple officiated. The Right Rev Alan Rogers read the lesson and Judge Sir James Miskin QC, Recorder of London gave an address. The Rev Arthur Quinn and the Rev Graham Dowell were robed and in the sanctuary.



Phillips at Gatcombe Park today

CLARENCE HOUSE June 24: Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother was present this afternoon at a reception for Commonwealth, American and European exchange teachers given by Her Majesty's Government at ancaster House. Lady Elizabeth Besset and Captain the Hon Jeremy Stopford

YORK HOUSE ST JAMES'S PALACE
June 24: The Duke of Kent today anniversary of the Battle of Caraboo at his statue in Belgrave Square. Captain John Stewart was in

THATCHED HOUSE LODGE June 24: Princess Alexandra this afternoon visited the City of Norwich, Norfolk, on the occasion of the Diamond Jubilee celebrations of The Norwich Society.

Her Royal Highness, who travelled in an aircraft of The Queen's Flight, was attended by Lady Mary Colman.

The Queen will be represented by Princess Margaret at the Independence Celebrations for St Christopher-Nevis on September 19, 1983. The Earl of St Andrews is 21

Squadron Leader Adam Wise was in attendance.

Prince Naruhito of Japan visited
The Princess Anne, Mrs Mark

Dr John McSweeney has succeeded to his late brother's title as the Count de Boishébert and will in future be known by that appellation.

Forthcoming marriages

The engagement is announced between Andrew, eldest son of Major and Mrs H. W. Duncan, of Menmuir. Angus, and Catherine, daughter of Mr and Mrs R. H. C. The engagement is announced between Bryan, youngest son of the late Mr Frank Cox and of Mrs Cox,

Mr J. R. Shuffrey and Miss C. Bryant The engagement is announced between John, son of Mr and Mrs R. F. D. Shuffrey, of Claygate, Surrey, and Caroline, daughter of Mr and Mrs J. Bryant, of Chesham Bois,

and Miss J. V. du Mello Kenyee

The engagement is announced between Simon, only son of Mr and Mrs P. F. Stevenson, of the Hollies, Shenfield, Essex, and Jenifer, younger daughter of Major and Mrs J. du Mello Kenyon, of Maes-Y-Brenin, Newport, Pembrokeshire.

and Miss L. A. Chandler

The engagement is announced between John Graham, only son of the late Mr G. Turner and of Mrs J. E. Turner, of Ohain, Belgium, and Lynn Angharad, only daughter of Dr and Mrs D. B. Chandler, of Rougent Fetcham, Surrey.

and Miss S. E. A. Underhill

The engagement is announced between John, son of Mr and Mrs R. E. B. Wyke, of Twickenham, Middlesex, and Sarah, daughter of Commander J. N. Underhill, OBE. RN, and Mrs Underhill, Haslemere, Surrey.

Marriages

The Hou R. D. Campbell and Mrs M. A. Kandai The marriage took place quietly in London on May 27 between the Hon Robin Dudley Campbell and Mrs Muriel Anne Kandal

and Mrs A. E. Oliver The marriage took place on June 18 in Chelmsford between Mr Gordon Bell and Mrs Ann Elizabeth Oliver. A service of blessing will be held in Great Dunmow, Essex, on October 22, 1983.

Latest wills Mr Leonard Wallis Wincott, of Coventry, West Midlands, left estate valued at £1,099,341 net. Valued at 1,199,341 net. Dr. Dorothy Katherine McCat-cheoa, of Kings Heath, Birming-ham, who was found dead in her allotment shed on March 4, aged 81, left estate valued at £300.959 net. Latest appointments

Latest appointments include: Mr Alan Oliver Smith, assistant chief constable with the West Yorkshire force to be deputy chief constable of Derbyshire. He succeeds Mr David Parkinson, who is ceeds Mr David Parkinson, who is to become chief constable of the States of Jersey Police.

Mr David Stephen, editor of International Affairs, and former director of the Runnymede Trust, to be director of the United Kingdom Immigrants Advisory Service in succession to Mr John Ennals who is retiring. 81; Mr Lan Frest, Se; Mr C. G. Randolph, 84; Lord Rawlinson of Ewell, QC, 64; Brigadier Sir Charles Spry, 73; Mr Colin Wilson, 52; Lord Wolfenden, 77.

Mrs Goden Gans of Court Mission Ladies Association of Collan. QC. Mr David William Co. Protessor Rousid Graveson. QC. Greensurer of Grav's lash. Mr John Hall, QC. Mr Geoffrey Brice. QC. Mr Pattern Grand. QC. Mr Anthony Cripps. QC. (Tressurer of the Middle Temple). Mr Brichael Browne, QC. Mr Anthony Cripps. QC. Mr Alf J. Harvey, QC. Mr Adrian Hamilton. QC. Mr Alf S. Harvey, QC. Mr Anthony Hamilton. QC. Mr Anthony Mr. Mr F Ashe Lincoln. QC. Mr A. Battrowelough. QC. His Honour Edward Carries, QC. and Mrs. Garte. Judge Williams. QC. Judge Bruce Campbell. QC. Judge Bruce Campbell. QC. Judge Return G. Judge Nathanhall Bisher. QC. and Mrs. Basisor.

A memorial service for Mr Herbert David Ziman was held at St Bride's, Fleet Street, yesterday. Prebendary Dewi Morgan officiated. Mr David Holloway (literary editor, The Daily Telegraph) read the lesson and Mr Bulmer-Thomas gave an The Indian Grenadiers' Regimental

Prayer: Battle for the human heart

proclamation of the Kingdom of God, of the year of jubilee, of deliverance to captives and freedom from oppression. His ministry was surrounded by conflict, his message was seen as subversive and seditious, bring-ing not peace but a sword, dividing families, and undermining both religious and political establishments. The only people apparently who were reconciled by his message were Herod and Pilate, and he was sentenced to death, in

the next worldlings".
In spite of this, Christianity conflict being of the devil. The Church is valued as an instrument to achieve calm, pour oil on troubled water, a unifying force. Church people seem to find the expression of conflict peculiarly difficult, and church gatherings are often extremely polite, refined, and more than sober than vigilant. Emotion and anger are suspect, and debates such as the recent "Church and the Bomb" debate in General Synod will be

that Jesus came with his character. The New Testament is neither genteel nor balanced, nor does Christian spirituality involve merely the search for interior peace or exterior harmony. How does Christian prayer connect with the spiritual

growth in prayer depends upon an ability to move out of illusory comfort into a conflict of soul; without such conflict, there can be no progress towards maturity. Prayer begins Conrad Noel's words, by "a with self-knowledge, with the coalition of the worldings and confrontation of the false self. The Way of Purgation is the June 24: The Duke of Kent today In spite of this, Christianity necessary beginning of the laid a wreath as a tribute to the in our society is assumed to be spiritual journey, and involves Bolivar and to commemorate the invariably a force for harmony, stripping, purification of heart, and the unmasking of illusion. It is a painful process, and so many run from it preferring the safe convention and superficial religiosity which protect us from ourselves and from truth. But self-knowledge is only the beginning of prayer. The aim of beyond the conscious self, a

was crucial to the spiritual been of great importance in the Christian Church from the conflict which is central to the fourth-century desert movefaith? At two levels. First, the twentieth century. The desert is the place of spiritual conflict, of encounter with evil, a place which holds the possibilities of spiritual progress and of ultimate betrayal.

The symbol of the Dark Night, as used by St John of the Cross, develops at the personal interior level the theology of "Uknowing" (agnosia) in the early Greek Fathers. The Dark Night is a symbol of the way of faith, involving a movement away from false lights, and experience of inner conflict, of purification, enlightenment and healing through darkness.

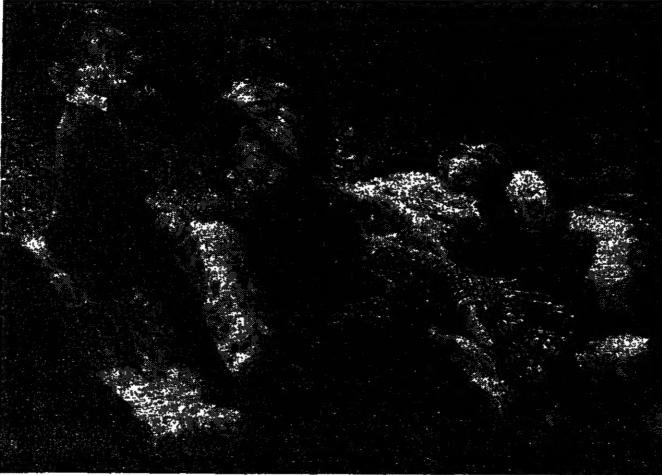
Prayer then involves an interior conflict, the battle for prayer is union with God and the human heart. But there is a this also involves a movement second sense in which prayer can lead to conflict. Marx saw movement out of security, away religious belief as an analgesic, from the comfort and safety of pain killer. But is this the only idols to the God who is role it can play? The experience

The Christian Gospel arose in praised for their "high level" consuming fire. This journey is of reflection and prayer may the context of conflict and not because of the quality of struggle. Galilee was the seed-bed of popular revolt and it was out of the Galilean turnoil of their genteel and balanced that Jesus came with his character. The Name of the constructions are unitarity of the symbols of Desert and their genteel and balanced that Jesus came with his character. The Name of the constructions are unitarity in the constructions, but because by the symbols of Desert and their genteel and balanced that Jesus came with his character. The Name of the construction and prayer may lead to a clarifying of awareness. Abraham's movement out of Ur people. In so doing, it may well to an unknown land, the desert increase, rather than reduce, has played a central role in the people, in so doing, it may well to an unknown land, the desert increase, rather than reduce, has played a central role in the people. In so doing, it may well to an unknown land, the people in th htened spiritual awareness, into formation of Israel and it has open criticism of, and hostility to the anti-spiritual forces in our society.

Prayer may equally help to ment to Charles de Foucauld in provide the inner resources necessary for the maintenance of such criticism and hostility and, by its vision of an alternative reality, symbolized in the social character of the Eucharist, may encourage discontent and dissatisfaction with the way we live now. Prayer may thus be an important way of undermining the structures of evil, and, if religious and political establishments saw this, they would increase their efforts to discourage it, and urge people to return to the safety of conventional religion which opts for comfort rather than transformation.

Kenneth Leech

The author is race relations field officer of the Board for Social Responsibility of the General Synod of the Church of



James Tissot's painting of Mrs Kathleen Newton with her son and two girls, which sold for £561,600 yesterday.

Sale room

Tissot sets record Victorian price

auction vesterday when Chrissaid yesterday that he had topher Wood paid £561,600 for bought the painting on behalf of

the French school. This large painting, almost six foot wide, depicts Mrs Kathleen Newton in the garden of the home she shared with Tissot in St John's Wood, London. Her son by Tissot is shown astride the garden bench while two little girls, probably her nieces who States, Christie's commented lived next door, drape them-after the sale.

Dadd's "Oberon and Titania". has spiralled over the last year.
Tissot was trained in France In March, 1982 Christie's sold a but made his career in England delightful ballroom scene, with paintings of elegant society "Lilacs", for an auction record which remain close in spirit to £81,000. "The Widow" broke that record at Sotheby's in New York in February at £121,710, while back in London in March "Reading the News" added another twist to the spiral at £183,600. That is now left far behind. Most of yesterday's bidding came from the United

selves on it in a happy manner.

Mrs Newton died of consumption later in the year her sensational records with a rash picture was painted, 1882, and of surprising failures. "Nausi-Tissot. broken-hearted, re- caa", a tall classical beauty by turned to France with the Lord Leighton, set a new price painting. He kept it until his record for the arrist at £226,800. death and left it to his nieces. It and "The Casono, Monte

A painting by James Joseph was sold from his niece's estate
Tissot of his red-haired mistress in 1964 and remained in a Dusseldorf genre painter \$110,000 (estimate \$40,000 to became the most expensive France.

Victorian painting ever sold at Mr Wood, a London dealer, mann at £64,800; the price Sotheby's claim as an auction having, in this case, more to do with the subject than the artist. it at Christie's. The price just a private collector who would topped the £550,000 paid at keep the painting in England.

Sotheby's in March for Richard The value of Tissot paintings Poynter of "Andromeda" at £18,000 and a Richard Dadd, Titania Sleeping", at £32,999.
The sale totalled £1,464,048 with 22 per cent unsold.
A sale of Judaica held by

Sotheby's in New York on Thursday showed a somewhat similar market trend combining record prices and expensive failures. A vellum manuscript of the Haggadah, illuminated by Joseph Leipnik, the most important German Jewish illuminator of the eighteenth century, sold for a Haggadah record at \$264,000 (estimate \$80,000 to \$100,000) or £171,428, to an American collector. It had cost the owner \$13,500 in 1970.

price record for any Judaic work of art. Among the failures was a fifteenth century Yemeite manuscript of the Torah, unsold at \$150,000 (£97,402). The two-session sale totalled £1,198,285, with 32 per cent

In London yesterday, Sotheby's sold a pair of Renaissancestyle throne chairs encased in heavily embossed silver for Lord Astor of Hever at £14,300 (estimate £12,000 to £18,000). They had probably been bought by William Waldorf Astor, the great historical romanticist and creator of Hever, as gennine Renaissance pieces. A pair of identical chairs, possibly this very pair, were illustrated in the 1906 Connoisseur as in the possession of Frederick William

I of Prussia
The sale of nineteenth cen-A German silver Hanukah tury decorative works of art and lamp, 26 inches high, made in furniture made £181,340 with Berlin in 1776 by George 13 per cent unsold.

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WESTLEY'S CHAPEL, City Road: 11 Rev
P. Jenning.

mander in the closing stages of the government in Paris, spoke the Indo-China war, and in confidently of achieving vicparticular at the time of the tory, and of getting help from military disaster at Dien Bien the United States. He set about Phu in 1954, died in Paris on proving that the French forces Navarre was sent out as worthy of support. One of his commander-in-chief in March, ideas was to draft more men 1953, at a time when there was into the Vietnamese army

1953, at a time when there was much talk of a peaceful solution fighting alongside the French of the long drawn out war. He expeditionary force, himself talked of the possibility In November, of a settlement, but only on terms that were manifestly unacceptable to the Vietminh; and it was clear that he saw his the succeeding months con-role as one of reestablishing the verted it into a "fortress", to military position of the French which more and more troops forces, so that it would be were sent. Dien Bien Phu was possible to negotiate from far in the enemy's rear, and its strength.

GEN HENRI NAVARRE

Commander in Indo-China at

more attacking tactics against the Navarre Plan. the Vietminh and one of its key points was the capture and Vietminh rear, however, it fortification of Dien Bien Phu, a gradually became a besieged remote place in the north of fortress, totally dependent on Vietnam near the border with Lacs. The intention was to put the Victminh on the defensive. by some commentators, but But in practice it had the were ignored by Navarre. In due opposite effect because the large course the Vietminh sur-French forces there were rounded Dien Bien Phu and in French forces there were rounded Dien Bien Phu and in eventually surrounded and March, 1954, began their attack, overrun in a dramatic battle To Navarre's admitted surprise,

OBITUARY

June 21. He was 84.

franche-de-Rouergue, in Avey- 12,000 French troops word, on July 31, 1898. He began killed, wounded or captured. his military career during the On his return to France First World War, when he Navarre became a member of served as a second lieutenant. the Higher War Council in 1956 Weygand's Deuxième Bureau, published his own account of and after the fall of France he the events in Agonie de rebuilt the intelligence and l'Indochine, published in 1956, counter-espionage service in the followed by Le Service de occupied zone. He commanded renseignements (1978) and Le a Moroccan regiment in 1945. Temps des Vérités (1979).

time of Dien Bien Phu General Henri Navarre, who On arrival in Indo-China was the French military com- Navarre, like the members of were capable of winning, and

In November, 1953, six battalions of French paratroops were dropped on Dien Bien Phn. They captured it, and in establishment was seen as one The Navarre Plan involved of the most important part of

Instead of disorganizing the supplies by air. The dangers of which precipitated the end of they used heavy artillery and, the war.

Navarre was born at VilleDien Bien Phu fell. Some 12,000 French troops were

On his return to France 1940 he was head of and retired later that year. He

SEÑOR OSVALDO DORTICOS

who held a number of key positions in both the Cuban

second President of the revolutionary regime, and was thought at the time to have been appointed primarily and the second President of the revolutionary regime, and was thought at the time to have been appointed primarily and the repeat of the rebels. He um of presenting a respectable figure to the outside world. But he proved more influential than expected, and travelled widely in order to project Cuban

Dorticos remained a member of deputy Prime Minister. At the time of his death he was also Minister of Justice.

on April 17, 1919, and as a knowledge that he had a scrious student became closely connec- spinal disease.

Osvaldo Dorticos sed with the Communist Party. Torrado, who was President of He then had a distinguished Cuba from 1959 to 1976, and legal career, becoming the founder and first vice-president of the National College of Communist Party and the Lawyers. But he also gave government, is reported from backing to Castro's July 26 Havana to have committed Movement in its efforts to

Mexico. Dorticos became President in July, 1959, after the disgrace of Manuel Urrutia. In that capacity he travelled to the United Nations in New York, to In 1976 Fidel Castro took Moscow, Peking, and other over the presidency himself communist and Third World under a new constitution. But countries. From 1964 to 1976 he was also Minister of the the polithuro and became a Economy and chairman of the Central Planning Board. In recent months he was said

dinister of Justice.

He was born in Cienfuegos death of his wife and by the

PROF GEOFFREY BOND

died suddenly in Zimbabwe on June 19, at the age 71. As the leading authority on the geology of his adopted country, Zim-babwe, he was one of the most distinguished scientists working in Africa.

A Yorkshireman, born on May 27, 1912, Bond's under-graduate career at Imperial College was interrupted by five years in the RAF. This service took him to Rhodesia, as it was His first geological post was with the National Museum in centuries ago.

Armed with a Royal Charter where he succeeded Bulawayo, where he succeeded

J. L. Mennell, who had been which guaranteed its multiappointed by Rhodes as a racial role, the university
mineralogist to provide expert continued to thrive and expand. appointed by Rhodes as a mineralogist to provide expert continued to thrive and expand. Bond as a modest man would never have claimed that he was never have claimed that he was

desia and Zimbabwe. He made major contributions to the understanding of mineral sity.
deposits (he was the first to identify emeralds in Zimbabwe) all manner of people on equal and to the geology of the Karroo, in South Africa; as well as the formation which contains all Zimbabwe's coal, the climate of Central Africa during the ice which made him known across age, and the origins of the the country. He was a natural varied landscape of Zimbabwe. athlete who continued to play When the University of several sets of tennis every Rhodesia and Nyasaland was week; his 50 not out in a fathers' established geology was not cricket match when he was over included in its initial plans, but 65 gave him great pleasure. Walter Adams as first Principal A kind man who was Walter Adams as first Principal A kind man who was put the subject at the top of his immensely liked, his home life man to lead the venture, was

Professor Geoffrey Bond, Starting literally from a green until recently Professor of field, he built up an enthusiastic Geology and Vice-Principal of and highly competent department university of Zimbabwe, ment which has not only discontinuous and professor. trained the geologists the country required but has engaged in research recognized internationally. It was largely due to Bond that at Independence Zimbabwe's mining industry could call on well-trained

indigenous geologists. The university has been described as an island of learning; UDI made it even more isolated. Bond then launched on his third appointthen, under the Empire Air ment, when as Vice-Principal he Training Scheme, where his was the indefatigable right-hand ability as a pilot led-to his being man to three Vice-Chancellors. retained as an instructor in the country in which, apart from brief spells in Britain, he was to spend the remainder of his life.

much more than this and never have claimed that he was exploited his opportunity to travel the length of the country, so laying the foundation for his unequalled knowledge of Rhoand Bond played his part in further expansion of the univer-

all manner of people on equal terms. His common touch contributed, too, to his effective broadcasting in a weekly series of radio programmes on science

priorities. Bond, the obvious meant much to him and in all he did Marina, his wife, gave appointed Professor of Geology him much support. She and a son and daughter survive him.

MR C. V. PILKINGTON

Mr Charles Vere Pilkington, the business committee of whe was Chairman of Sotheby's Musica Britannica. He had a from 1953 to 1958, died on collection of harpsichords and June 21 at the age of 78. He had clavichords. been a director since 1927.

in 1956.

member of the council of the married in 1936, was killed in Royal Musical Association 1961 in a car accident. They had from 1952 to 1958 and also of one son.

After retiring in 1958 he went Apart from the auction to live in Portugal. His wife, the house, Pilkington had a special Hon Honor Chedworth, daugh-interest in music, serving as a ter of Lord Kylsant, whom he

Sir John Lionel Armytage, Bt, died at Kirklets Park in West Yorkshire on June 21 at Marchmont, Berwickshire, the age of 81. on June 18 at the age of 22.

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Indian Grenodiers

Luncheons Prime Minister

The Prime Minister was host at a luncheon at 10 Downing Street yesterday on the occasion of the sixth annual party leaders' meeting of the European Democrat Union.

of the European Democrat Union.

The guests were:

Mr George Batth. Mr Kaure Willech. Append Schinter, Dr Alots Med., Dr Michael Craff. Sr John Awill. Mr Andrew Pescock. Mr Eric Nielsen, Mr Gistens Pescock. Mr Eric Nielsen, Mr Gistens Carties, Mr Bit Stanzillen, Mr Andrew Pescock. Mr Eric Nielsen, Mr Gistens Profilese Jeanther, Dr Bernsed Voyel, Dr Otto Wielsten, Mr Krangelos Ayavusf-Tustens, Mr Tateno Tanaka. Dr Herbert Stanzillen, Mr Tateno Tanaka. Dr Herbert Stanzillen, Dr Edde Fenech Agenti Mr Sana Wood, Mr Jo Benkow, Dr Francisco, Dr Edde Fenech Agent, Mr Ultura Sana Wood, Mr Jo Benkow, Dr Francisco, Dr Edde Fenech Agent, Mr Ultura Sana Wood, Mr Jo Benkow, Dr Francisco, Dr Edder Fenech Manual Francisco. Dr Edder Fenech Williams, Mr Julians, Dr. Lurd Hallsham of St. Minylishone, CA. Str. Anthony Royle. The Hon Allsham Mr Bitcheel Byleer, Mr Pickhael Allston, Mr Michael Mr Michael

British Council Mr R. E. Cavaliero, deputy director-general of the British Council, was host at a luncheon held at the Savoy Hotel yesterday in honour of Dr Ramil Wickremasingke, Minister of Education and Minister of Youth Affairs and Employment, Sri Lanka.

Garden Party

Lady Cubitt
The High Sheriff of Surrey and Lady Cubitt gave a garden party for representatives of the civic and public life of the county at Chape! House, Westhumble, yesterday. Service luncheons

The Rajputana Rifles The annual reunion huncheon of The Rajputana Rifles took place at The Institute of Directors yesterday. The Jam Sahib of Nawanagar was among those present. Major Richard Hungerford was in the Chair.

Association held its annual reunion luncheon at the Duke of York's HQ Officers Mess yesterday. Brigadier G. L. Roberts presided. The principal guest was Major-General A. H. E. Michigan. 2nd Punjab Regiment Officer Association
The annual huncheon of the 2nd

Punjab Regiment Officers' Associ-ation was held at the Hurlingham Club yesterday. Lieutenant-General in Worsley presided. The Beluch Resiment Dinner Club held its annual reunion

uncheon at the Naval and Military cinb yesterday. Brigadier P. L. Lindsay, president, presided. Service Reunion Indian Army Association

The annual reunion garden party of the Indian Army Association was held at the Hurlingham Club yesterday, Maj-Gen G.J. Hamilton, president, presided. Service dinners

The Durham Light Infantry The annual dinner for officers of The Durham Light Infantry Dinner Club and their ladies was held at the Naval and Military Chub last night. Colonel C. R. W. Norman presided. Sir Peter and Lady Gadsden and Major and Mrs J. G. Brynolf were Shrivenham Clob

Shrivenham Club
The annual dinner of the Shrivenham Club was held at the Royal
Military College of Science last
night. The principal guest was
General Sir Hugh Beach and
General Sir Peter Leng presided. Mr
W. Meakin, managing director,
Royal Ordnance Factories, and
Brigadier M. H. Mackenzis-Orr,
President of the Australian Ordnance Council, were also guests nance Council, were also guests. Brigadier R. J. Crossley chairman of

Services tomorrow: Fourth Sunday after Trinity

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STOCK EXCHANGES

FT Index: 726.1 up 1.2 FT Gitts: 82.30 down 0.06 Bargains: 23,126 Datastream USM Leaders Index: 98.9 up 0.23 Tokyo: Nikkel Dow Jones index 8845.38 up 31.90 Hongkong: Hang Seng index New York: Dow Jones Average (latest) 1237,58 down 4.21

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INTEREST RATES

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ECGD Fixed Rate Sterling Export Finance Scheme IV Average reference rate for interest period May 4 to June 7, 1983 inclusive: 10.344 per

PRICE CHANGES

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NOTEBOOK

the distillers' expectations so far this year. The market has been hit by changes in drinking habits and the recession. Stocks are still high. But the long term outlook is good.

Shares are now fairly valued and the market is being held back by uncertainties about gilts. The trend in company profits is upwards. The broad nature of the corporate improvement could mean that the F730 and All Share indices do not perform in the same way.

Advisers named

Mr Nigel Lawson, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, yesterday named his three special advisers: Mr Adam Ridley, 41, who was special adviser to Sir Geoffrey Howe as Chancellor, Mr Rodney Lord, 37, economics leaderwriter for the Daily Telegraph; and Dr Lynda Rouse, 35, Mr Lawson's special adviser when he was Secretary

and trading was slow in early dealings yesterday. The Dow Jones industrial average was down about 4 points at 1,238. Declines were 7-to-6 ahead of advances.

Mr Donals D. Hahn, of Han Holland & Crossman, in Chicago, said: two things appear to be bugging the market here. One is the speculative intensity as shown in the action of the secondary stocks on the big board and on the American Exchange. The second is the moderate upturn in interest

National Semiconductor was up 2 ½ to 52 ½; Chrysler up! ½ to 35; Johnson & Johnson up 1 ½ 49; Mobil off ½ at 32 ¼; Motorola up 1 at 138 ¾; Honeywell up 1 ½ to 114 ¾; Texas Instruments up 2 ¾ to 125 ½; Stop & Shop down4 \$¼ to 99 ¾; Sanders Associates off 1 \$U3/4 to 107 ½;

By Edward Townsend, Industrial Correspondent

with the union.

of the Atlantic have attacked the link-up despite claims from the two companies that it provides the best hope of assuring the future for most employees at BSC's Ravenscraig works in Scotland and US Steel's more seriously threat-

by the chairmen of the two shipping empire, should emerge companies, would involve the next week after the receivers, export of semi-finished steel slabs from Ravenscraig to Fairless and could lead to up to 6,000 job losses at the two

Mr Ian MacGregor, the BSC chairman, and Mr David Roderick, of US Steel, met again on Thursday in New York,

of Energy said yesterday that the bulk of the £1.5m paid to Lazard Freres of New York for the services of Mr MacGregor at the NCB would be offset by reductions to cash limits on one or more of the department's votes and these would be

The last Government ordered Mr MacGregor to retain steelmaking at Ravenscraig, and he Bank is believed to own three is under no obligation to ships which have a going maintain the steel mills concern value of about \$100m maintain the steel mills

WALL STREET

Prices

New York (AP - Dow Jones)

rates in recent weeks.
"These factors plus the knowledge of how far the market has come since last summer make investors nervous,"

American Telephone & Telegraph was 62 T_{l_0} , unchanged: International Business Machines 123 1/2, off 1/2; General Electric 56 1/2, off 1/2; American Express 71 1/2; Teledyne 171 1/2, up 3 1/4; and General Motors 74 , off 1/2. National Semiconductor was

US union attacks steel pact

American steel workers yes-terday intensified their campaign against the proposed cooperation deal between the British Steel Corporation and United States Steel by filing an unfair labour practice charge against the Pittsburgh company.
The United Steelworkers

Union said that US Steel's refusal to provide information on the proposed deal was a violation of its duty to bargain

Union leaders on both sides eped Fairless plant

ped Fairless plant of Eurocanadian Shipholdings,
The plan, still being discussed Mr Frank Narby's collapsed

Steel slabs are not covered by present US steel import restrictions and, if it was successful the deal would give the BSC a bigger share of the US market than the rest of Europe's producers combined.

Meanwhile, the Department announced later in the year.

Congress passes budget and heads for confrontation with Reagan

US coalition of moderates increases taxes and cuts defence spending

the expense of the poor and and \$73bn over three years. The elderly and could not live with budget wil cut in half Mr

Taubman thwarted

in Sotheby's battle

Mr Alfred Taubman's buying a formal offer. He has said only

Takeover Panel ruling - the first additional 15 per cent of take one ever made - shares should his holding to 29.99 per cent of be counted with those owned by Sotheby shares, equal to the amount owned by Mr Swid and

Mr Cogan.

ution as such, he does have the

power to veto specific enacting

legislation.
The deficit projected in the \$849.6bn budget passed by Congress was estimated to be in

the range of \$170bn to \$179bn.

compared with deficits of up to \$200bn projected by the

Congressional committees to draft legislation raising \$12bn in

new taxes during fiscal 1984

he intends so to do if allowed by

the Monopolies and mergers which is considering both bids.

It means that the Sotheby

board's 6.7 per cent is added to Mr Taubman's 14.99 per cent

He can now buy only a further 8.3 per cent instead of an

Whether Mr Taubman will

The Office of Fair Trading is

be allowed to buy more shares at all could still be in doubt.

understood to be increasingly restless that he has yet to give

the usual "status quo" under

takings traditionally signed

within days of a bid being

referred to the Monopolies

Stamp duty

revenue

jumps 25 pc

Latest statistics from the

The 1980-81 total revenue

rose by nearly 25 per cent to £797.2m in 1981-82 as more

home-buyers were dragged into

By comparison, the take from

costing less than I per cent,

compared with more than 6 per

But businesses are paying less

in real terms. Corporation tax

collected in 1981-82 stood at £4,924m but is expected to

decline to £4,850m in the

written off as irrecoverable increased by 22 per cent to just

over £55m, with an even larger

increase in corporation tax

write-offs - up from £16.2m to

Disappearance abroad was an

important factor in decisions to

The amount of income tax

cent for income tax.

current tax year.

£20.6m.

write off tax.

Inland Revenue reveal a sub-

stantial jump in revenues from

stamp duty.

The budget resolution directs

The US Congress has finally the huge federal deficits pro-passed a compromise budget of jected in the Administration's higher taxes and sharply-reduced defence spending for 1984 which is certain to trigger a political confrontation with

President Reagan. The bipartisan budget, which took House and Senate negotiators two intense weeks to work out, was passed in the Democratic-controlled House by a vote of 239 to 186 and in the Republican-controlled Senate on a vote of 51 to 43. The vote was widely regarded

as indication that there is an emering coalition of moderates from both parties who disagree sharply with Mr Reagan's ecomomic priorities. In the debate preceeding the voting, many moderates said that they could not justify

increased defence spending at

of Sotheby Parke Bernet shares

was yesterday curtailed by action from his rivals in the

£73m bid battle for the auction

Fellow Americans Mr Mar-

shall Cogan and Mr Stephen

Swid succeeded in obtaining a

Takeover Panel ruling - the first

The directors have already

welcomed him as a bidder for the company. The concert party ruling the number of additional Sotheby shares he

can buy in the stock market has

Previously, such sharehold-

ings would only be considered

as if they were already owned by

the bidding company if an offer

Mr Taubman has yet to make

Salvage

attempt

at Cast

By Peter Wilson-Smith

Prospects of salvaging parts

Touche Ross, complete their

Eurocanadian, parent com-pany for the Cast shipping

group, failed earlier this week

after its main bankers, Royal

support and appointed Touche

Ross. The shipping group, which made itself unpopular with rate cutting on the North

Atlantic shipping routes, was the subject of a \$200m rescue

just over a year ago but recent

efforts to solve continuing problems fell through.

Urgent talks were also under-

way yesterday to prevent banks

Bank of Montreal, which has preferred first mortgages over four ships, has impounded one

but had not taken action over

Royal Bank of Canada is

continuing to support Cast

Containers, the container ship

side of the group, in the hope that it will be viable. Royal

the other three yesterday.

Bank of Canada, withdrew

investigations into the group.

been cut by almost half.

had been made.

President Reagan has said repeatedly in recent days that he would oppose strongly budget which would both raise taxes during the present recovery and cut funds for his planned military build-up. Although he cannot veto the budget resol-

Reagan: defied by

Reagan's requested 10 per cent rease in defence spending and provide an estimated \$14bn more for domestic spending than the president wanted. Not included in the overall total is a separate, special reserve fund of \$3.5bn ear-

Flood of

offers for

Maunders

By Jeremy Warner

million shares in John Mann-ders Construction, a private housebuilder in the North-

West, has been 52 times oversubscribed attracting nearly £130m, Only £2.5m

was being sought.

Meanwhile, an offer for sale by Hambros Bank of 3

million shares at a minimum

tender price of 100p in

Tunstall which makes emerg-

ment for the elderly and the

infirm, has also been over-

subscribed though the amount

of subscription has not yet been specified.

ency communications equi

An offer for sale of 2.5

marked for avariety of recession relief measures now considered by Congress. Although Mr Reagan can

veto enacting legislation for measures as the tax increase, his hands are tied on defence spending. Since defence appropriation committees in both houses are now committed to increases of no more than 5 per cent in fiscal 1984, the president must either accept the reduced level or veto the measure and get less. Both the House and the

Senate openly defied Mr Reagan by deciding that the way to reduce spiralling federal deficits was to reduce defence spending rather than to make further cuts

in domestic programmes.
Further, both houses were apparently in agreement with European officials that, despite Administration arguments to the contrary, the huge deficits could retard the promising

In the debate, Mr Slade Gorton, a Republican sena or from Washington, said he was convinced "that defeat of this resolution will certainly result in far larger deficits.

Mr James Jones, chairman of the House budget committee, said in urging his colleagues to pass what he admitted was an imperfect compromise measure: "If we don't pass the budget, we'll be telling the American people and our allies that we prefer fiscal anarchy to the discipline of the budget pro-

Critics of Mr Reagan's policies have argued that new revenues must be raised in order to retain the confidence of corporation and finanacia markets that the deficits will be

Cayzer, Gartmore chief resigns

hipping's deal to sell control of its Gartmore fund management business to Exco International has claimed its first casualty with the resignation of Mr David Secker Walker on Thurs-

Mr Lionel Anthony, another director, who joined in March, is likely to follow soon. Mr Secker Walker joined Cayzer, Gartmore from NM Rothschild, the merchant bank, 18 months ago, Mr Anthony came

The size of the John Maunders ovrsubscription which is being handled by the stock broking firm Henry Cooke Lamsden, has meant that applications for 4,800 shares or fewer, will go for a ballot of just 100 shares.

Even those who applied for 27,500 or more will only get 2 per cent of what they asked for.

John Maunders, which is going directly to a full stock market listing made pretax profits of £689,000 in the year to June 30 last year,

British and Commonwealth from the Natinal Coal Board's

Mr Secker Walker will get compensation but the amount

He was the managing director

of Cayzer, Gartmore, the financial services subsidiary of B&C. Gartmore's parent com-

Lloyd's sued for \$200m An American diamond cutting company is suing Lloyd's of London for \$200m (129.3m) in a claim resulting from a jewelry raid in August 1981. Mosbe Tubero Co said it was

prepared to settle for \$50m if loyd's responded by June 17. Thereafter settlement may be difficult due to the entry of a final (default) judgment." The

offer to settle expires on July 8. Lloyd's says the amounts Claimed are "grossly exagger-ated." A default judgement was claim is settled on his terms.

obtained against Lloyd's in federal court in Florida, However, it is unclear whether this judgment will stand. Mr Moshe Tuberc, the

has not yet been decided.

However, on resignation he is also entitled to exercise war-

rants which allow some execu-

tives and investment trusts to

subscribe for shares in Cayzer,

The value of those warrants

has been the subject of a dispute

between the directors of the

trusts and B&C. B&C is

expected to offer to buy the

warrants in at about £6.50 each (rather than the £7 previously

expected) at a total cost of over

Garunore.

judgment.
The lead "syndicate"

company president, says in a letter to Lloyd's that his legal advisers are seekingn a final

Lloyd's is number 640 which could be liable for \$20m if Mr Tubero successfully sued it for the full amount or \$5m if the

City Comment

Oil out of troubled waters

Those small investors who bought Britoil shares when they went public last autumn have proved more shrewd in their judgment than the institutions who refused to touch it with a barge pole.

Although the shares fell and fell hard in the weeks and months immediately after the flotation, they have since more than

And yesterday, the day of the company's first annual meeting since its quotation, the shares touched 246p against 2 sale price last November of

The change of fortune at Britoil is part and parcel of changing attitudes to the oil market generally. Mr Phillip Shelbourne, its chairman put his finger on this when he said that he now expects a period of price stability to be followed - although he did not say when - by a gradual and steady upward movement in the cost of the commodity.

The Russians seem to agree with him. Earlier this week they boosted the price of their crude oil and bought considerable cheer to bolders of sterling. It rose strongly because the perceived view is that the bigher the price of oil worldwide the more money flows into Britain's coffers.

Oil is obviously still a good business to be in – but that is perhaps why the Government should take to beart Mr Sheibourne's remarks to the effect that although the last Budget did something to encourage oil development, it did not address the problem of the next generation of fields which will be needed to maintain self sufficiency into the next century. If Mr Shelbourne is right. and many in the business agree with him, then this ought to be high on the Government's list of pri-

BRAMINGION income tax rose by 18 per cent from £24,295.1m to £28,724.7m, in line with the overali percentage increase in tax revenues. Stamp duty is an attractive tax to the Exchequer as it is one of the cheapest to collect,

RECOVERY

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Airline collapse led to hearings in US and Britain

How the Laker legal web grew

From Our Correspondent, Washington

"I'm flying high today. I've filed a massive anti-trust com-raised £60m sterling. My troubles are over. The confident words came from Sir Freddie Laker as he

boarded a plane in London for

talks with his primary lenders in

the United States in February 2, Later that afternoon, officials of Samuel Montagu, acting for the Midland Bank, Laker's principle banker, said they were at "an advanced state of negotiations" on a loan package to save the struggling Laker Airways. They estimated the

in a week. Three days later Laker Airways collapsed triggering a complex and protracted legal bande now being fought in British and American courts.

In a civil complaint filed in

the US Federal Court in Washington. Sir Freddie said that from Christmas Eve. 1981, until midday on February 3, 1982, he believed that McDonnell Douglas Corporation and General Electric of the US would be forthcoming with promised £10m cash to save his

faltering airline. Suddenly on February 4. without warning or time to seek other financing. Sir Freddie claimed that he had been informed the loan package had

airlines, accusing them of a conspiracy in which, he claimed, they pressured Laker's lenders to withdraw from the loan deal and lowered their fares below costs to drive Laker out of business. Several of the eight accused

airlines - British Airways,

British Caledonian, Pan Ameri-

can, TWA, Lufthansa, Swissair,

Sabena, and KLM - countered

by filing suit in a British court seeking to prevent Laker from continuing his case in the United States. loan plan would be completed The suit and countersuits have sparked an intense series of legal jousts between British

and United States courts over jurisdiction. related United States Justice Department criminal investigation of alleged pricefixing on North Atlantic routes

by European and American airlines, in response to Laker's cut-rate London-New York fare, also provoked a strong protest on jurisdictional grounds by the British Govern-In the civil case, British Airways was the first defendant to file suit against Laker in

a declaratory judgement in the fallen apart and he had been forced into receivership.

Subsequently, Laker Airways British Caledonian, asked the Subsequently apart and he had been forced into receivership.

High Court. The suit, which closely damages.

The suit, which closely damages.

The actions of Mr Justice per airbit.

Parker drew an unusually strong Laker case. High Court.

January this year when it sought



Laker: accusing airlines of conspiracy

court and the presiding judge, Mr Justice Parker, for three things: a declaration of nonliability in the Laker case; a permanent injunction prevent-ing Laker from proceeding with the United States case; and an injunction preventing Laker from interfering with the British court proceeding.

The court ruled that Laker should be enjoined both from proceeding with his case in the American court and from interfering in the British proceedings by filing a counter injunction. It also said that it would hold trials on the merits of the claims of several of the accused airlines that they were not liable to Laker for any

response from Judge Harold Green of the US Federal Court In an opinion in which he orderd Laker to proceed with the civil case in his court, Judge Green said: "It is difficult to

visualize on what basis a British court could legitimately take jurisdiction - let alone displace the jurisdiction of a US tribunal - when the complaint alleges violations of American law by American coroprations and by a foreign corporations which provide air service between the

US and Europe."
Noting that "only two of the defendants are British, Judge Green said: "British courts could not and would not enforce American anti-trust laws because British law fails entirely to recognize liability for the acts alleged." Further, he was surprised by

the "denigration of American law by British courts", citing the comments of Mr Justice Parker that an exhibit filed in the Laker case "sayours of either fiction or journalism rather than legal exposition and was apparently prepared by Laker's American attorneys.

The legal duelling continues on both sides of the Atlantic as

attorneys engage in thrusts and parries over diverse issues including the confidentiality of requested information; the in-ternational application of US anti-trust laws; and the effect of bilateral government-to-government airline agreements on the

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These arise when, for one reason marily in UK shares, but is not limited by geographical area, size or another, a company falls on hard times and its shares fall to a level of company or market sector. On where they are exceptionally cheap. 20 June 52% was invested in the When the company does recover, 6% elsewhere. perhaps with a change of market conditions or as a result of sharp management action, those who bought when the shares were cheap stand to do very well.

With an individual company there is of course a risk that the recovery may never take place. This is why a unit trust is such a good vehicle for investing in recoveries. Because it invests in a wide spread of recovery situations a unit trust can shrug off the occasional casualty. The potential rewards from the successes can be very high.

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July units can be bought by post or telephone in the usual way.

The minimum initial investment is £500. Units may be bought and sold daily. Prices and yields are published daily in leading newspapers.

Income net of basic rate tax is distributed to holders of income units on 15th March and 15th September. Units issued under the Bonus offer will receive their first distribution on 15th September 1983.

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MARKET REPORT @ by Michael Clark Bumper profits and a big Minet shows promise improvement in the share price is on the cards for Minet

broker, and a great favourite among the takeover pundits. Yesterday the shares rose Ip to 125p as brokers W Greenwell of a full bid remains in the upgraded their expectations for the year in the wake of the healthy first quarter figures

healthy first quarter figures announced this week showing pretax profits up from £2.7m to £3.5m. Greenwell say that if Minet can maintain this growth, it should easily exceed their forecast of £19.2m for the year. Last year Minet made pre-tax profits of £17.8m

The rest of the equity market remained firm, despite the latest trade figures showing a deficit of £552m. But prices closed below their best levels with the FT index ending 1.2 up at 1.2 profits of £17.8m

Brokers Statham Duff Stoop are arranging a private placing of 6.4m shares in Computer Holdings, manufacturer of Lynx microcomputers, to raise £1m. The shares are being offered at 17p a share and values the entire company at £4.4m. The company has forecast pretax profits of £750,000 for the year to March 31. It is hopes the shares may be auoted under rule Much of this year's improve-ment has stemmed from currency gains and an upturn in the group's Middle East and Far
East business. But the North
American market, which last
year accounted for 32 per cent
of broker income, remains dull.
Greenwell maintain that the weakness in the price, owing to the revelations at Lloyd's, has been overdone and the shares are still good value up to 135pmay be quoted under rule 163(2).

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exchange led to gains of 50p in gilts. The pound closed 0.3 to Humbly Grove — has produced a flow rate of 1254 in blue chips, Beecham rose 5p to 376p ex-rights after the recent £200m cash raising exercise, which seems to have been well received by the market.

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life amid reports that Egypt had raised the price of its crude oil

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market. ICI closed unchanged at

514p. It seems Britain's biggest industrial group has asked the US Securities and Exchange Commission for permission to raise the ceiling of its debt to Oils enjoyed a new lease of

by 50 cents a barrel. BP rose 4p to 440p, while Shell lost an early lead to closed unchanged Among the onshore explo-

ration groups, Carless Capel & Leonard flucturated before closing unchanged at 206p after announcing an encouraging

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expanding its interests in North America. The group, which helped steer Mrs Thatcher and the Conservative Party to

Scott. Goff, Hancock is being tipped as the first London stockbroker to have a South African office, attracted by the relaxation of exchange controls on the Cape. The firm soid yesterday the move is still under consideration.

power in the General Election, is buying the New York advertising agent McCaffrey and McCall Inc.

Santchi is making an initial payment of \$10m (£6.5m) followed by further payments of

years. This will be beautiful in McCaffrey's post-tax profits in hellings 1983/84. Last year's billings totalled \$140m and pretax

profits were \$3.59m. Meanwhile, brokers Cazenove Meanwhile, brokers Cazenove and W. Greenwell placed 750,000 New Series B Free in Volvo to raise £26m. The shares were placed at kr405 (£34%) a share and represents about 2 per cent of the issued share capital. The shares closed 50p up at £15%, It is the biggest placing of foreign stock ever made in London.

in London. Shares of BL car dealer Henlys remained unchanged at 95p ahead of interim figures next week which may make poor reading. Last year they made losses of £2.4m preux. This week the group denied This week the group defiled runours of a board split after several resignations. Mr Jim Gregory, chairman of Queen's Park Rangers owns 8 per cent with the Bank of Scotland owning a further 25 per cent.

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Davis, the Ford main dealer and residential homes group, held steady at 108p after reporting better-than-expected profits in

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COMPANY NEWS IN BRIEF Benlox Holdings Year to 31.12.82, compared with

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Scotch trade struggles to rebuild

Hopes in the scotch whisky high for the present size of the industry that this would be the market, year in which it returned to a The painful process of reasonable level of sales growth adjusting stock levels has left the distilleries facing extensive After 20 years of exceptional short-time working and closures. compound growth, during according to Tomatin Distillers which the name of Scotch was which more than any other marketed with staggering sucpublicly quoted company in the cess throughout the world, things started to go flat in 1979. industry needs an upturn in the production end because its only There has always been a business is selling malt fillings suspicion during this difficult to other distillers, a 3 per cent period for the industry that rate of yearly growth in sales is

by 1986. Ironically, the financial poness, especially in mature sition of most whisky com-markers like the United States, panies has improved dramatipanies has improved dramatihas possibly caused a decline in cally cally during this difficult perioid as stock reduction has the consumption of strong drink, Scotch has held its led to the release of working relative position within the capital

spirits market. Above all, it has But though this makes been recession that has caused company like Distillers (DCL) the Scotch market to stop look a rock-steady investmentthe whisky industry will need to So things do not look like return to growth for its shares improving much in the short to become anything more than term. According to Victoria this. Britain's largest off-li-

If the amount of effort being put into marketing strategy at cence chain, the home market for spirits has fallen by 2 to 3 for spirits has fallen by 2 to 3 the moment is anything to go per cent since the last increase in Budget duty.

put into insurance in moment is anything to go by, the stagnation of the past four years should prove just a in Budget duty.

Hit by the collapse in Latin temporary hiccup.

Equities

American markets, especially Venezuela where Scotch sales are expected to halve during 1983, exports accounting for the Appearances can be decep-tive. If you look at the FT 30 appear to have stagnated once Index, the equity market, ater more after the 3 per cent rise in the starting the week with a bank, lost its sense of direction and ended where it had started The effect of four years of declining or flat sales on But if you look at the All-Share distillation of Scotch has been Index, the market ended on severe. The distilleries have in record note and seems very one sense become victims of the firm. ...

SHARE HIGHLIGHTS Company Change on week y'day 'High' Auft & Wiborg Bio-Isolates up 58p 29.25p Blackwood Hodge 16.25p 15.75p 110p 14p* 134p 25p* 20p down 1.5p Cornell Holdings 261p **GRA Group** 23.5p* 370p MK Electric down 30p Somportex 50p* Turner & Newait up 15p

with next year's British Tele-

com flotation - have prevented

which probably is keeping the

market in check. Interest rate

uncertainties and the contrary theories about the Govern-

ment's funding plans have left

The conviction in the market

that selling all counters associ-

& Wiborg leapt on news of a bid, while the fashionable Bio-

Isolates advanced with insti-

tutional buying, MK Electric was the victim of frustrated

with Mr Asil Nadir had

gilts a little cheap.

back into Cornell.

expectations.

But it is the financial sector

the market from overheating.

The difference lies in the reach avalanche proportions composition of the indicies. The reference of the Trafalgar House bid for P & O to the Monopolies Commission and the huge £197m Beecham rights issue left their mark on the FT 30. But the underlying strength of company profits was clearly reflected in the progress of the

On last year's results, the market is on an average fullytaxed price-earnings ratio of about 17 and is yielding 4.5 per

These would seem expensive ratings were it not for an average profits increase so far this year of about a fifth, As er spending rises and ated industrial output gathers momentum the profits position could improve further.

Indeed, after almost a decade British industry's troublespots, which equities have generally enjoyed a similar rerating. Ault in which equities have generally been cheap, the market is now more fairly valued. But is it precisely this achievement which causes the uncertainty. So far sterling and the supply of fresh equity - which will

Illingworth Morris

Illingworth Morris Year to 31.3.83 Pretax profit £21,000 (£1.23m) Stated earnings (loss) (earnings 2p)
Turnover £77.8m (£101.4m)
Net dividend nil (0.75p) Share price 19p

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Illingworth Morris appears to be taking the long way round on the road to recovery. Textiles bave not been a happy market for some years despite Illingworth being in many of the up-market cloths.

For the year to last March, sales dropped a third to £77m, trading profits have halved to £2.1m and at the attributable level the company has slipped

Illingworth has continued to The disappointing trade fig-ures did not help. So a great deal will depend over the next fight its high gearing ratio. Falling debt cut the interest charge from £3m to £2, im. few weeks on how the market interprets the new Chancellor. Conserving cash, the group has passed the dividend, which was 0.75p last time. Nevertheless, life goes on.

Reorganization costs were nearly 22m last year and the bill for fighting off an unwelcome takeover bid from property developer Mr Alan Lewis was been overdone put some life £231,000 at the year end. Turner & Newall, one of

The figures do little to support the board's argument for staying independent. But the shares, at 19p, still reflect the bid expectation. Mr Lewis is in a strong position, already owning 48.5 per cent of the

British Benzol Carbonizing Year to 31,3.83. Pretax profit, £284,000 (£183,000). Stated earnings, 1.5p (1.6p). Turnover, £8.19m (£8.59m). Net dividend; nii (nii).

Nash Industrie: Half-year to 31.3.83.
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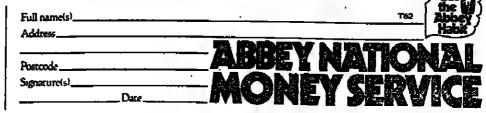
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Healthy attitudes

The take up of voluntary private medical insurance schemes like BUPA and PPP, by employees, is only 5 to 10 per cent, if the employee has to bear the cost, according to recent research in incomes Data Services.

Most companies are worried about the escalating cost of private medical insurance, but only a minority have changed their insurer or plan to change. Rising costs appear to be accepted by many as inevitable, says the survey. Most schemes provide insurance free of charge to directors, executives and

There is opposition from some trade unions but this could change if the National Health Service continues to decline. If it does, and unloan begin to push for free cover as part of collective agreements, employers could face significant increases in their costs.

Leaving early

An early leavers pension transfer plan, launched by insurers Sun Life in February has attracted 9,000

hoping that this week's an-

their home loan rates up from 10 per cent to 11.25 per cent will choke off demand for

mortgages, or bring in a lot

more money for lending - or both. Some people in the housing market believe that demand for home loans is so

four months or more are now commonplace and have precipi-

tated a revival in the fortunes of

mortgage brokers, who are once

again flourishing.

Mortgage broking is a profession which has had more

than its fair share of sharks and

applications. "This proves the need for

applications. "This proves the need for this facility" says Sun Life. Sun Life. Sun Life's T-Plan offers job changes, or those made redundant, an alternative to the usual frozen pension benefits, which are usually fixed as a percentage of final salary at the date of leaving.

Transfer plans were ploneered by London & Manchester, which has also had an enthusiastic response for its Transolan.

Bid to cut fraud

Credit card fraud is rampant: TSB Trustcard is looking at a number of ways to improve card security but believes that a little more care by card holders would make a real contribution. It is sending all card holders a leaflet, The Trustcard Safety Code, in an attempt to reduce the number of cards lost or stolen.

The code makes these points: keep the card with you at all times; keep the card and cheque book separate; sign the card immediately it is received; and advise the transcard centre if you have not received your new card by the time the old one has expired, or if you change your address or if you think the card has been lost or stolen.

fairly wide. The rules are do

not pay anything up front, or if

you do get a receipt (then you can claim the money back, less a nominal fee of one pound, if

he does not come up with an

acceptable deal within six

months); do not accept the deal that he offers if you do not like

the terms; and so check that he

names of brokers in your area)

imposes ethical standards and is

prepared to discipline members

who do not conform to them.

We talked to some of its

members about the present

situation.
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strong that the move will in fact has a reputation to lose.

do neither.

Mortgage queues of three to Brokers (which will supply the

incompetents in the past - so chairman, whose firm is based "good" is the operative word at Birmingham, says the best

However, plenty of registered way for people to get a mortgage insurance brokers act as mort- is still for them to have saved

management.

are on the right lines.

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Japanese unit fund

Aitken Hume has launched what is believed to be the first unit trust specializing in Japanese technology.
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until June 30 at the special initial price of
50p. The minimum investment is 2500.

Maximum interest

investors looking for income might fancy chase de Vere's Maximum interest Bond, which pays 2.1 per cent above the building societies' new recommended rate of 7.25 per cent. This works out at 9.35 per cent, basic rate tax paid.

Higher rate taxpayers could have a liability to higher rates of tax. The rate is guaranteed to remain 2.1 per cent above the BSA recommended rate. The bond is a two-year investment, with a minimum of 22,500.

Flexible retirement

have none, however, it is quite

possible to arrange a mortgage -

even a 100 per cent mortgage with the bulk of the money

coming from a building society

and the rest from an insurance

a former CMB chairman, says

he has "no difficulty whatsoever in placing mortgages." He tends

to get the money from banks rather than building societies, and reckons a client might be

asked to pay II to II'h per cent

- at the moment - on a first,

mortgage, and 141, to 15 per cent on a top-up. With the bigger mortgages, he says, a

half-point extra does not mat-

Liverpool-based, reckons he can

still satisfy 85 per cent of

Mr John Hale who is

Albany Life Assurance Company has introduced a Flexible Retirement Plan which provides a tax efficient 60-plus

Mortgage brokers

How to break the home loan queues

income together with tax-free capital if ...

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Details of this plan which can be tailored to meet individual needs, are available from Albany Life, Station House, 3 Darkes Lane, Potters Bar, Herts EN6 LAJ.

Part-owner scheme

The Leeds Permanent has allocated 22m to help families under a new Do-it-yourself shared ownership scheme. Unlike the Government's shared ownership scheme which restricts buyers to housing association houses, the Leeds scheme allows the purchaser to choose his own home then aproach

the housing association for help.
The purchast can buy a part-share in the property, pay rent on the remainder and buy the rest of the house later. The special fund will be available for the use of associations in inner-city areas.

and have an account with a mortgage requests, despite "a confirm that they can arrange a yet have used up their mortgage building society. For those who considerable increase in inquir- loan, though almost all quali- quota. Second, shop around the

ies since March." One hundred

per cent mortgages, though, are "very difficult". He gets much

of his money from finance

houses, at a reasonable rate -

around 114, per cent.
Mr Geoff Buckingham, who

is based a Faling, is getting money from the American

banks (who are "very competi-

tive on the bigger mortgages")

d the insurance companies.
The table shows brokers who

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loan, though almost all quali-fied it with the remark "at a

price". Some could arrange larger loans of over £40,000

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borker and your own building society has got a waiting list,

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Relaunch bonus

Frantington's Recovery Trust, launched on April 16, 1982, is being relaunched with a bonus offer (1 per cent up to £15,000 and 2 per cent above £15,000) open until July 15. Since the original launch, the price of units has risen 49 per cent, compared with 42 per cent for the FTAII Share Index; since January 1, units have risen 36 per cent compared with 17 her cent for the Index. The fund alms for per cent for the Index. The fund aims for capital growth and has 52 per cent invested in Britain, with 42 per cent in the US.

Backing for Biba

A total of 85 Members of the new House of Commons supports the British Insurance Brokers' Association campaign for statutory regulation of non-broker intermediaries in the insurance world. Bibs questioned more than 700 Parliamentary candidates during the General Election, of whom 90 per cent supported its case.

Mr Michael Morris, Biba's director-general, commented: "The results are a

smaller building societies.

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bitually pay extra for their deposits, and charge over the

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The new Signal Life Investors Action Group (SLIAG) is rounding up a central fighting fund to bring test cases against the brokers who sold the git bonds. Mr John Potter, Coordinates of the mount save the nator of the group says, "the BBC Moneybox programme found out that Hongkong

"Surely the brokers should have done likewise on behalf of

Mr Potter can be contacted at home on Winkfield Row (0344) 884878 or office, Camberley (0276) 63344 extension 366.

Insurance investors

Investors in Signal Life's gilt bond are joining forces to take legal action against insurance

summer owing more than £5m to investors.

Shanghai Bank was not the

Signal Life

trustee although some inter-mediaries told investors that

trustee with one simple phone

their clients"?

mobilize

brokers, many of whom were members of the British Inprance Brokers Association, and intermediaries who sold the Signal Life Bond. Signal Life collapsed last

vehicle storage charges. Car hire costs up to £400 are covered, £100 towing charges and up to £100 per person for extra hotel expenses. The Gilt Bond fund had no buy cover for personal baggage loss of £1,000, cancellation costs Hongkong Shanghai Bank was

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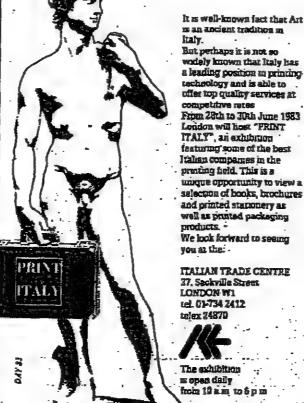
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Any private investor who keeps ignore it - however much you The before-tax equivalent money in the bank on seven-might worry about offending rate for building society extrainterest accounts is just under 1, building 12 per cent - nearly double the From July societies will be paying 7.5 per miserable 6 per cent you will get

cent (basic rate tax paid) on from your bank. ordinary share accounts and an Even the highly successful bank deposit rates is now so extra I per cent on "extra money funds cannot competeunless you happen to be a non-

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tors NSB Investment Account now looks a better bet, in spite of the ludicrous constraints imposed by the way interest is credited. The two tables tell the story, Building society extra-interest

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buy for all but the non-taxpayer. For the higher-rate taxpayer, National Savings certificates with their tax-free return are still more attractive for anyone paying tax at 45 per cent or more, but your money is tied up

accounts, now on offer from

virtually all societies, are a best

Similarly, for basic rate

among the smaller societies can battle between the banks for produce even better returns.

Guardian Building Society is paying 9,25 per cent basic rate tax paid (equivalent to 13.2 per more, deposited for six months. The disadvantage with smaller societies is that transactions may have to be conducted by post, but this is not necessarily a handicap if you keep £500 on deposit as ready money in a local building society.

Why do people keep money on deposit with the bank when they can get much better rates elsewhere? Apathy is the usual

if you are subsequently turned down for a loan, you would have no difficulty in walking cent gross) for sums of £1,000 or across the road to another bank and getting the required overdraft - particularly if you were prepared to deposit your building society pass book as security

> Another disadvantage of bank deposits is the complicated way tax is calculated.

Income from bank deposit is usually taxed on a "previuos year" basis with confusing rules

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Money back – at a price

Funds

When managers

seem to sit on

injury is the fact that the cash

has been kept all this time in

sterling. The pound has de-

clined by about 7 per cent against the dollar since last

Mr Syd Lipworth of Hambro Life said: "We have had some

problems with this fund. Deals lined up fell through. But we are

negotiating a property deal in

the States now. You have to be

very careful buying property overseas. It's not an instant business like buying shares.

And often the best ways to buy

is through back-to-back loans. So although we took the wrong view about sterling, in this particular case, I don't think

that it's wrong in principle to hold on to investors' money

without investing it until we think everything is right."

But clearly people buy bonds because they want management expertise. If Mr Hawkes and the

others who bought the US

Property Fund last October

wanted to keep their money on deposit instead, they would

surely have done so and not

invested it. As Mr Hawkes says: "It would have made a better return in a building society. I

really think that companies

flogging these sort of products should warn you of all the possibilities in the prospectus."

Margaret Drummond

When you make an invest-

ment in a managed fund, say a

single premium bond or unit

trust, you expect the money to

be invested along the lines of

But should you be expected

to wait months until the

managers of the fund decide it

is time to invest the cash? One

reader has complained about a

£15,000 holding in a Hambro

Life bond, the US Property

The bond was bought on behalf of a relative when it was

launched last October. The prospectus said that the new fund intended to buy US real

estate. Mr Nigel Hawkes says: "Not a penny of the money has been invested in property yet."

About £2.5m has been raised

by the fund since October and it is still all on sterling deposit, So while stock markets have been

booming on both sides of the Atlantic, the return since Octo-

ber has been a paltry 6.5 per

"I think it is scandalous," he says. "How can a fund take

money like this and then just sit on it for nine months without moving a muscle? I thought the

find was a good idea because I

wanted something in property

but British property looked in the doldrums. I also liked the look of the dollar and wanted a

the fund's stated objectives.

Crown Life says the compariannually, that would cost him son drawn last week between £750 over 10 years; with the term assurance element in London Life, £306. its Plan for Life, and Loudon Life's convertible term policy is unfair, because people who insure through Crown Life will get some money back at the end of the term, whereas those who insure through London Life will

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After 10 years, assuming that Crown Life's units increase in value by 71h per cent a year the Crown Life policyholder would get back £663 – an effective cost

But there is the question of what the conversion option is worth. Crown Life is trying hard, but London Life policies have a reputation for excellence

that goes back over a decade. Adrienne Gleeson

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and fillies as well as breeding top quality yearlings for sale. The company will be managed by Thoroughbred Managers Ltd, with Lord Oaksey as chairman, while the sole investment adviser is the British Bloodstock Agency, the largest specialist bloodstock agency in the world.

The company will be run "more or less" along the lines of a unit trust, say the managers which means that shares can be bought and sold at the underlying net asset value. Valuations will be made by the British Bloodstock Agency on a quarterly basis. Because of the nature of the breeding cycle, no redemptions will be allowed for the first 18 months.

Minimum investment is £1,000 and can be made through a stockbroker or other professional adviser. After the first £1 million shares have been placed, there will be a public offer (still at £1 per share) with newspaper advertisements

But this does not appeal, Juliette Harrison has been looking at other ways of owning a racehorse.

A racehorse in training costs an average of £8,000 and 95 per cent will fail to earn their keep while half will win nothing at

which come from Mr John guineas, he sold a 12th share to Biggs, director general of the 11 fellow players and for £10 Racehorse Owners' Association per head per month (apart from taken with the fact that there is little variation in the running costs of a potential Derby winner with residual stallion riches and an elderly gelding battling his heart out in an insignificant seller, prove that fur not profit must be the

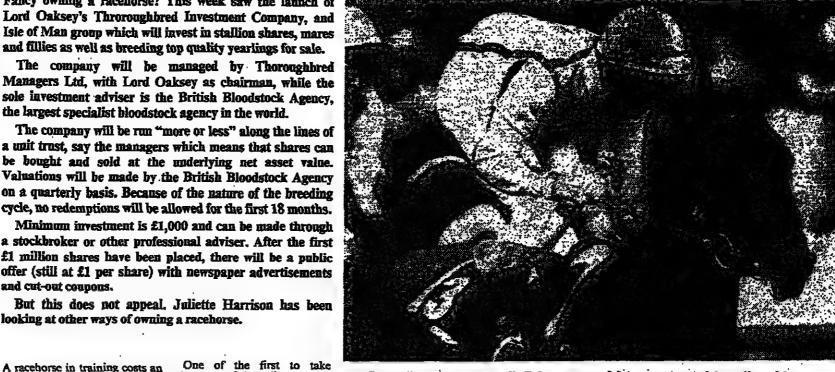
in 1971 the Jockey Club, appreciating that the joys of ownership would soon be a pipedream for all but a wealthy few, introduced raceborse syn-dication allowing up to 12 adults to enjoy the pleasure and at worst share the financial

One of the first to take advantage of the ruling was Mr Ian Robertson, former Scottish rugy international, now covering the sport for the BBC. Buying Rugby Special for 200 guineas, he sold a 12th share to per head per month (apart from the actual training, there are jockeys, vets, blacksmiths, in-

surance, transport and entry fees to be paid) they had a horse

No one wants 12 telephone calls demanding progress reports

which won four and was placed in six of its 11 races in 1972. Rugby Special was sold the



Lester Piggott on Admiral's Princess, one of the most successful syndicated horses

following year for 4,000 guineas lished yards will welcome an (£42,200).

Mr Robertson and his friends continued and have now raced 15 horses, 12 of which have won. The best, Twickenham, cost 1,800 guineas, provided five years of pleasure and, after scoring in five of his eight 1982 starts at the age of six, has been sold to America.

There are three ways to approach syndication. If, like Mr Robertson, you intend going it alone and have correct 11 friends into joining you, the Federation for Bloodstock Agents will put you in touch with a reliable agent who will buy a horse at a recognised sale, usually in the 4,000-5,000 guinea range and, if necessary, recommend a trainer.

approach and even some of the establishments are happy to oblige, provided the syndicate is properly run by one of the members. No yard wants its Sunday afternoons interrup-ted by 12 telephone calls demanding progress reports on a single, usually mediocre,

Before the syndication is official, three or four of the shareholders, who must be registered owners (one time fee: £13.80) are appointed lessees of the horse, taking responsibility for its management and financial arrangements. A Syndicate agreement must then be drawn up and signed by all members who are required to read the relevant rules of racing – numbers 46 and 181 – which the Jockey Club, in Portman Sqvare, London – will supply.

If you intend to stray far from its guide-lines, it is as well to bave a solicitor to check that the final version conforms with the

Provided all is in order, and a registration cheque for £63.25 per horse accompanies the application, you can open within 24 hours an account at Wetherbys, to handle the outgoing entry fees and incoming prize money, and are ready to run.

Annual audited accounts must be circulated to all members of the syndicate and the Jockey Club, which has the power to call in the books at a fortnight's notice on pain of expulsion and must be notified of any share transfer. No individual may be a member or have any family or business sydicates at one time.

rounding up the people, doing the paper and liaison work and you can pay somebody to lot of riff-raff - they don't care organize it for you - usually a about the horse, it's all indiside trainer who specializes in information and they're never syndicates, or a professional off the phone". syndicate manager. The former The other way to avoid will prove cheaper, the latter ought to keep you well in-

Mr Ian Walker, a Newmarket Mr Ian Walker, a Newmarker trainer with a small string and full time secretary to handle his who assembles his shareholders

syndicate, advertises in The Sporting Life. For him, syndi-cation is a financial fact of life. "If I see a nice animal at the saler that my owners can't afford, I'll buy it and syndi-

cate", he says.

He charges £46 plus value added tax for each 12th share, excluding travelling and entry

You can open an account to handle fees and prize money

fees (slightly more than Mr Robertson's estimate of £37) and will sell the horse to the shareholders at £600 to £1,000 over its purchase price - a sum argely swallowed up by advertising costs.
His motive is not short-term

profit but to attract potential clients who may eventually purchase a horse outright. He is extremely careful therefore, to select a sound and promising animal for them.

These horses will usually be sought as a speculation at the September sales and they can take six months to be "filled". If there are any shares over at the start of the next year's flat season, the trainer may use

> Members must be prepared to suffer setbacks

them himself, rather than However, if the task of prevent the horse running, ounding up the people, doing Many are wary to the heavy gambling element attracted by the advertisements in the racing bearing the legal responsibility, the advertisements in the racing seems too much like hard work, press. As one put it: "You get a

syndicate manager like Mr

newspaper advertisements.
Since 1977, he has syndicated 53 horses which have won 56 races and £100,000 in prize

The successful Admiral's Princess, cost its owners £1,850 per 12th share, carned £22,000 on the racecourse and was sold to the US for £50,000. If you deduct two years' running costs. her shareholders would have come out with a little under

£3,000 clear profit. Mr. Ponsonby's fee of £70 a month per 12th share covers all expenses, including transport and entries - the latter can come to well over £1,000 a year - and an inbuilt management fee of about £6.

sonby does not deny taking a profit which comes at the outset with a healthy mark-up on what he has paid for the horse. The sum is in the region of 30 per. cent and pays the insurance, initial upkeep and advertising the final profit margin depending on how quickly the syndicate is formed and ready to take

Mrs Andrew Simpson's rivalfirm at Marlborough, Wiltshire, which has syndicated 17 horses of which nine have won 38 races since 1976, charges a monthly £60 per 12th share. He relies mainly on advertising to attract members and is currently using the exploits of five-year-old Wet Bob - four wins in as many weeks this spring as

Syndicate managers supply an illustrated newsletter and regular buletins, telephone with the running plans and deal with the accounting and legal side.
They will also supply the trainer and the horse, in which they retain one share. It runs in their colours and name. Syndicate members must be

prepared to suffer setbacks. Wet Bob, for instance, went 17 months without a placing before his run of success while Aletis a | | | | current Simpson two-year-old, had to be gelded in February within six weeks of syndication at £775 a share. The owners were apparently "marvellous"

One conundrum could be the division of 12 eager owners into the two complimetary badges that offer admittance to the 'attl' and racecourse, the paddock and the

winner's enclosure.
However, in practice, there are very few problems. The vast majority of Britain's 59 racecourses offer four passes per syndicate, aware of the fee-paying entourage that inevitably accompanies the proud owners.

Beside; with a catchment area covering the country, you are unlikely to get all 12 wishing to race the same day. Mr Ponsonby instanced the case of Admiral's Ruler which ran one week at Lingfield, Surrey, and a ---heavy on the travelling costs, but enabling a completely different set of admirers to cheer him on.

One final point. Should you find the prospect of British racing too limiting and yearn for the glamour of Longchamp and Deauville - take care. While the French Jockey Club welcomes syndicates; the French Government, assuming they will make a profit, tax any winnings. In Britain, the authoities assume you will lose, and

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Investment Philosophy The fund will focus on companies offering prospects of sustained growth in earnings and dividends. These are some of the areas which appear particularly attractive for the 1980's.

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Investment Philosophy

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(a) Companies whose research and development expenditures are being redirected into new growth areas. (b) The beneficiaries of the consumer and industrial technologies particularly in electronics and telecommunications in which Japan leads the world. (c) Those companies be as placed to take advantage of shifting domestic consumer an enterty.

companies ben placed to take advantage of shifting domestic consumption parterns.

Singapore/Malaysia – Both economies have weathered recession better than expected and the stock markets have been buoyant. Malaysia and Singapore are poised to resume strong historic rates of growth following an upturn in the world economy.

Australia – The Australian economy will be the major beneficiary of renewed growth in the developed world. The initial reaction to the election of Mr. Hawke has been positive. Industrial stocks are modestly valued and the nameal resource sector represents a major long term call upon the mineral and agricultural riches of the sub-continent. Hong Kong – The stock market has recovered from the lows of December but remains historically cheap. Although there is concern over relations with China, resolution of the 1997 lease issue will result in a substantial recating of the market.

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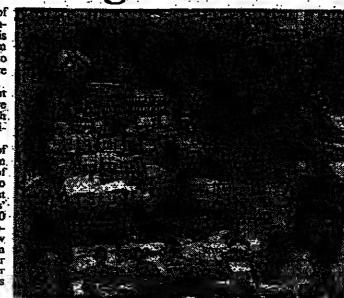
But how can you find out whether your syndicates have done well compared with others? By joining the Associ-ation of Members of Lloyd's.

The biggest advantage of membership of the association. is access to the league table of syndicates' results, sent to members each year. The latest set, iving details of syndicates profitability for the 1980 account, has just been published, and members are now hastily comparing their own "cheques" with those issued, or expected to be issued by other syndicates to see if it is worthwhile making a move.

The Association of Members of Lloyd's (AML) does not yet cover the whole field. It has to rely on syndicates' results being supplied voluntarily. At the moment, 110 syndicates out of 417 are covered by the survey. but this accounts for about 50 per cent of Lloyd's capacity, according to the association, because many Lloyd's syndi-cates are small and underwriter

very little. The average return for the 1980 account is about £900 for each £10,000 "line" writted, compared with approximately £600 for the 1979 account. But hidden within these averages there is a wide range of results. The top performer was syddicate 290 with an estmated

6.75% = 9.64%*



return of £4,543 for each £10,000 line while members of syndicate 223 are being asked to dig into their pockets to the tune of £3,029 (estimated) to cover sydicate's losses.

Members of syndicate 127, where Mr Ian Postgate was chief underwriter until his suspension last year, will pick up a cheque for about £1,725. His rival, Mr Stephen Merrett, is handing over £1,065 to his syndicate

Overall, 1980 was a good year agents.

for Lloyd's members with only 12 of the 110 syndicates monitored by the AML showing which gives them access to the showed the greatest improvement – nearly doubling profitability from 5.6 per cent in 1979
to 11 per cent in 1980. Members
of aviation syndicates have
come off worst, losing on Lloyd's: c/o Chaise, Wheataverage 1.3 per ent in 1979 and sheaf House, Carmelite Street,
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Meanwhile, 2,100 applicants are standing in the queue to join Lloyd's. The closing date for applications is June 30.

Those accepted will start

underwriting in January 1984 and will receive their first cheque - or be asked to payout some cash - in 1987.

How will they select a syndicate? Almost certainly as new members they will have little say in the matter, being dependent on advice from their

performance statistics, the value a loss. Within that, motor performance statistics, the value syndicates did best, with an of which will increase as years average 12.3 per cent return go be and the long-term compared with 7.1 per cent in performance of syndicates can 1979. Marine syndicates be assessed. The membership showed the greatest improve- fee is £25 a year plus £25 for the

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Top Ten

Results for 1980 - Return on each £10,000 Line

Syndicate Number	Underwriter	Underwriting profit/loss	Expite/ eppreciation	Total return	
290°	Walker	2,870	1,736	4,543	ĺ
728	Evennett	3,349	936	4,284	Ł
177	Smith	367	3,870	4,237	ı
145	Compton	1,914	559	2,473	ı
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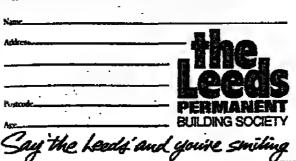
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of wine, first made in 1969 and published for 1983/84 this week, consists of a range of 1981, a red Rhône, and a wines of recent vintages which reed time to mature The Second unit, the most

healthy capital appreciation after five or six years in reserve. Free storage is offered, known clarets and a dependent upon the anticipated growth 1981 Chalis. maturity, until May 1988. "Unit de luxe" at £

Another advantage of the is more up-market Oporto

The greatest obstacle to wine scheme is the facility to bottled Sandeman 1977 vintage investment – not having a cellar purchase by monthly banker's port, fine grand cru 1981 – is overcome by the Unit Wine order. Unit One, for example, Chablis, and three chleau-bot-

The first unit will make for pleasant drinking in one or two Its selection of various cellars years. It consists of three clarets. 1979 and one from the youthful

need time to mature

The 'units' containing the popular last year and costing finer wines should also show a £25 monthly, consists of five dozen bottles: a single estate Chateauneuf 1979, three lesser known clarets and a lovely first

'Unit de luxe' at £40 monthly

tled clarets which include Léoville-Poyferre 1981.

For real auction room potential, Justerini's 'Imperial Unit', from the early maturing year of at £62 monthly or an outright 1979 and one from the youthful payment of £706.80, is the most siutable: a dozen bottles of 1981 Caatean Latour, 1981 Palmer (one of the most sought after clarets) and domaine bottled

1978 Corton from Louis Latour. Full details from Justerini and Brooks Ltd, 61 St James's Street, London, SWIA iLZ and at 39 George Street, Edinburgh

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He accepted that the boom in private medical insurance had ssed, but said that the ompany's own market research. adicated that many people who had paid into existing schemes

their continually increasing premiums. The offer of noclaims bonuses could induce them to continue buying private medical insurance.

The company will offer an initial 20 per cent no-claims discount, increasing to 40 per cent after five years without a claim. A claim would mean reverting back to a two-year discount worth 20 per cent off the premium.

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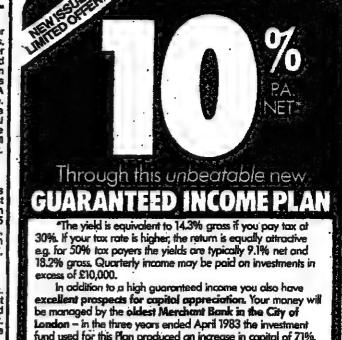
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The woman that Wimbledon could bank on goes bust

The great crash: Lloyd's liquidation

Kathy Jordan. Mrs Lloyd is family, who founded the brew-unique in that, from 1971 to ery company.

1983, she contested 34 grand The most unlikely name in slam championships and, in the last 16 of the men's event had begun to take her for

when the guillotine came down the executioner was a woman who had not taken a set from Mrs Lloyd to their previous five matches. For the record, the grand slam singles in which Mrs Lloyd always reached the semifinals were eight French II Wimbledon, 12 United States and three Australian champion- chosen the wrong ros ships. In the process she won 15 reached the end of it. ships. In the process survival titles, was runner-up on nine other occasions and lost 10 rackets when the guy came along and said I was in the draw loser. he said

No other woman has advanced ith such inwavering regularity the last four of the singles on grass rather than clay, le every year for 10 consecu- Rodney Harmon, aged 21, 2 title every year for 10 consecu-Rodney Harmon aged 21, a tive years. That last record in black Virginian competing for

Mrs Lloyd was seeded secsett of Canada Miss Temesva- grass. ii, aged 17, was competing for Harmon, taking pervous, the second time, and Miss little steps, was restlessly fidgety Bassett, aged 13, for the first between points. When the ball time. Their combined ages was in motion he tended to be therefore fell short of the all jerky improvization because birthdays independently ache could seldom be sure what

Rosemary Casals, 34. young women have tough text of grass-court tennis by streaks in them. Two-fisted on heart, the backhand, they hammered from the baseline - with the the more formidable forehand. Andrew Jarrett and Christopher but eventually Miss Bassett's Mottram won a long botty sounder ball control and more

One of the most remarkably Bassett's surname, incidentally, consistent success stories in had nothing to do with liquorice tennis came to an end yesterday all-sorts. But her Christian when Chris Lloyd was beaten by name comes from her mother's

one, was never besten will be that of John McCurdy, before the semi-final round. We aged 23, who is ranked twenty-had begun to take her for first in Australia. McCurdy is granted.

6ft 2in tall, weighs 13st 7lb and The startling thing was that at one time had a difficult choice to make between tennis and Australian Rules football He has been losing so consistently in qualifying competitions that when he did so again in the Wimbledon Qualfying event -though he had a match point against Charlie Fancott -McCurdy suspected that he had chosen the wrong road and bad

That extraordinal sequence as a lucky loser, he said was not the only one that came to an end yesterday. As holder do the "US: "Australian and do this well at Wimbledon This French, champronships Mrs may be my only chance. Pve got to keep going as long as I can."

Mecurdy comes from Yarra-slam. Maureen Connolly and woner (yes really) and is in her

Margaret Court are the only second year as a professional women who have done that. At Wimbledon he has beaten Mrs Lioyd's disappointment han Avendano, Claudio Panatwas therefore two-edged. ta and Cassio Motte at the cost But for two reasons her of only one set, McCurdy has cord remains without parallel. just one problem; the next time he goes on court the player at the other end will be a spe

one on which Mrs Lloyd as the first time, was beaten in French champion, can still straight sets by Kevin Curren place to be beaten - but played ond. Andrea Temesvari, a well enough to suggest that we Hungarian seeded fourteenth, shall see much more of him was beaten 6-3, 7-6 on the The demeanour of both men centre court by her friend and was a coincidental reflection of practice partner, Carling Bas- their relative experience on

cumulated by three other Curren and the grass were going competitors: Billie Jean King, to do to him. By contrast, 39. Virginia Wade, 37 and Curren was all ambling acremity: partly because that is his nature These fair and attractive and partly because he knows the

Britain's recent contributions away at each other - mostly to Wimbledon's success stories has occurred chiefly in doubles. uninhibited zest appropriate to Another heartening result the young. Miss Temesvari had cropped up yesterday when contested match with the fourth "penetrating backhand swing the seeds, Mark Edmondson and match the Canadian's way. Miss. Sherwood Stewart.

Jordan profits

Too much of a good thing is wonderful said Mac West on a nemorable occasion. And foubt if poor Mrs Liqued, hampion three times in eight ast finals, would wholly ubscribe to this as she bowed urprisingly to ber unseeded American compatition, Miss sathy Jordan, 6-1, 7-6 on a rowded No I court vesterday. So, in an hour and 38 ninutes, came the first major pheaval amongst the ladies. Italways sad to witness the

mise of a universal champion Yet sympathy for the loser hould not for a moment be liowed to cloud Miss Jordan's e achievement in this blissful

Basically, Miss Jordan mat-ted the flat two-fisted back-and and forehand driving of or opposent with persistently iced, cleverty angled replies. Its Lloyd often had to counter with measured lobs as thy rallies unwound.

But Miss Jordan, nimble and tile, had her own trading length A Wimbledon doubles list for the past three years, volleying proved a key

provided a tangled mass of figures. Miss Jordan, lit as any up and coming daisy, began like a brocze, moving with breaks to 1-0 and 4-1, then to 6-1 in a water of rallies that led to eight deuces. Three clear service aces also strengthened her hand Miss Jordan, at 40 love, glaringly missed a smash to lose her opening service of the second set and dropped service.

. The scoring, in many ways,

hoisted two delicious lobs to go to 4-0, it seemed that the match was on the turn.

But we were wrong. Breaking back to 2-4, Miss Jordan recovered to 4-5 in the course of which a cross-court dink by Mrs Lloyd brought such a roar as to waken a baby.

Breaking to love again for 55, soon it was 6-5, 6-6 and the

inevitable tie-break. Here Miss. Jordan's spring-heeled volleying took her to 7-2 and victory. The match had run away like sand through poor Mrs Lloyd's fingers. Miss Jordan has spread her game like opening an old chest full of spices, yellowed love letters and summer dress-

Miss Bonder with both fists flying

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Hewitt returns for another fling

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Rick Meyer of the United States, has been explaining the secrets of cricket to his American friends and

side that has been in, goes out and dition. friends are not to bright."

Sir Brian Burnett, chairman of Yet even he was a little surprised Olympics. at suggestions that centre and No 1

Some men are in and still not out.

The Soviets are back at Wimble-don for the first time for seven when both sides have been in, goes wears. Four young players, Svetlana

concentrate on amateur play in case

Photographs by Chris Cole

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Ovett must outrun the question marks

The next stop on the circuit independent meetings that began it. Paris last night is the Edinburgh Games, sponsored by Tarmac, tomorrow afternoon, Sebastian Coc was the principal draw in Paris, and it is his old rival, Steve Oven and he Olympic champion, Allan Wells, who should attract crowds to Meadowbank Stadium tomorrow.

Oven's races this season have phased a large question mark against his form. The only international opposition in the 1,000 metres is Joel Nectich of Kenya, but the domestic opposition is of inter-

Gary Cook who, like Ovett has

won his only international 800 metres race of the season in Italy, is in the line-up, and although he is not a winner in the highest class; he is still among the world's fastest. But perhaps the biggest test for Oven will be Peter Elliott, who won the UK 800 metres championship a month ago on this track. With Elliott's determined front running Over will need to show his former capacity to follow any pace if he is

Quarrie, James Gilkes of Guyana, and the in-form Todd Bennet returning the field is on a per with that in the Commonwealth final. Wells's form has been as tentative as that of Ovett this season, but there could be no better place than

younger Scot, who may yet prove that only injury has kept him from the sort of honours that Steve Cram, who is about the same age, has already won. With Sidney Mance opting for Edinburgh rather than Paris, the mile between those two

resume their contest for domestic and world javelin domination, but it

which followed Elliou's victory in the AAA 800 Metres.

Wells and Mike McFarlane meet in a rematch of the Commonwealth Games 200 metres where they created history with a dead heat for first place. With the, former match this evening.

A power struggle

Los Angeles (Reuter) - The unbeaten world 400 metres hurdles record holder, Ed Moses, faces the Olympic champion. Volcker Beck, in one of the most intriging events in the United States v Esst in the United States v East Germany athletics match here this

The contest between two of the or the contest between two or the world's most powerful athletic nations will provide many insights into the World Championships in Helsinki in August, and into next year's Olympic Games which will be held on the same Los Angeles track.

When the two nations met for the first time less were the Americans.

first time last year, the Americans won the men's competition and the East Hermans won the women's. Apart from the international, a separate competition will be held reaturing addless from 50 countries. But the most talked about American athlete, Carl Lewis, aged 21, who has come close to world records in the 100 and 200 metres and long jump, will only compete in the 4x100 metres relay.

The women's competition features the world's leading aprinters, Marties Goehr of East

Meadowbank track for the Scot to resore his fortunes.

and the former Olympic champion, John Walker, should be as good as any event on the programme The Edinburgh organizers have assembled much better fields than the Paris administration. Tessa Sanderson and Fatima Whitbread

of those women in the match in Finland last weekend has resulted in the world record holder Tima Lillak eting last year, withdrawing from Edinburgh by at's victory in way of riposte.

The men's world record holder in

Germany and Evelyn Ashford of the United States, Miss Goehr im-proved her world 100 metres record

FOOTBALL Wilkinson takes Sheffield post

Sheffield Wednesday have ap-pointed Howard Wilkinson, Jimmy Sirrel's assistant at Notts County, as their new manager to replace Jack Charlton who resigned last month. Wilkinson, the 39-year-old England under-21 manager, will be returning to his home town after playing for Wednesday during the 1960s and later teaching at a Sheffield school. Wilkinson, who has been at Meadow Lane for the last three and a half years, confirmed that he

would be giving up the international team post shortly because England's manager Bobby Robson wanted to turn it into a full-time position. The former England manager Don Revie, Watford's manager Graham Taylor, Brian Clough and John Bond were among the names connected with the Wednesday job when Charlton ended his five-year

when Chariton ended his five-year spell at 'Hillsborough, which had culminated with the second division side's reaching the FA Cup semifinal in April. But Wilkinson was not surprised they had all been passed over for him, "I know a lot of hig names have been bandied around, but I am not worried about following in the footsteers of following in the footsteps someone like Jack Charlton."

Watford have received a £1 million offer for their England forward Luther Blissett from the Italian club AC Milan, who him as a replacement for Joe

Watford's manager, Graham Taylor, said: "There is no way I can turn this sort of bid down and I would not stand in Luther's way. However, Blissett will not be going anywhere until we have the £1 million in our bank account."

AC Milan were more reticent about the possible deal, A spokesman said: "We dont say it's not true that we are bidding for him, but we don't know anything about an agreement."

It will be up to the 25-year-old Blissett to decide whether he accepta the offer, but it is understood that be well not make up his mind uptil next week. The first division's leading scorer with 30 goals last season, he recently returned from England's our of Australia.

Covenity City's problems over the retention of players resultated yesterday when Paul Dyson, their England under-21 centre half, joined the growing number of players wanting to leave the club, and Les Sealey the former City goalkeeper who signed for Luton Town on Thursday, revealed tha he had left

YACHTING

Landslide victory for Avalanche

the final race by an overwhelming margin to win the series for the Edinburgh Cup at Torbay yesterday.

John Nicholls writes. Second place overall was filled jointly by Mike Patten, who led on points until this last race, and Philip Tolhurst. The first three helmsmen on points all sail at Burnham-on-Crouch, emphasizing the strength of Dragon sailing in that area after the recent domination by the Irish.

domination by the Irish.

Tolhurst worked his way from third Yesterday's race, like some of the others this week, was held in a breeze that went from light to non
leet. Patrick Cifford finished third

existent. Only 12 boats completed the course within the time limit, and Patten was one of the unlucky helmsmen who recorded maximum points as a non-finisher. There was no second race to replace the one that was lost earlier in the week.

Wade started well, and chose the right way to go on all three windward legs. This was decisive.

after having only nine of the 42 boats astern at one stage.

Blow for Kiel

Attempts to start the fifth race of the 470s yesterday at Kiel, to replace because of a late protest, failed as the breeze refused to steady. No other classes raced but two races are

FOR THE RECORD

ATHLETICS

CYCLING

The dicision by the organizers of Henley Royal Regatta's to cut the number of people hallowed in the exclusive Stewards' Enclosure has led to a high demand for guest badges. The regatta administration announced yesterday that 7,500 additional guest tickets available for next Saturday, the third day of the four-day event had been sold out at a cost of £101,500. Stewards decided this year to cut

the number of guests badges for sale by 500 to "maintain traditional standards and atmosphere". Peter Coni, the chairman of the regarda. said that although it was tempting to sell as many budges as possible, they had no intention of turning the regatta into a "money-making circus." The stewards enclosure provides space for only a privi-ledged few at the regatta and as many as 100,000 people have bee known to pack the areas

MOTORCYCLING:
Roberts, who is trailing another
American, Freddie Spencer by 13 points in the world championship standings, will take pole position for today's 500cc Dutch motorcycle grand prix. The former world champion gained the position after a ride round the 4.77 mile (7.68 km) circuit in the second practice session, when he recorded the Assen track's fastest ever time, 2min 48.52sec, at an average speed of 164.168 kmh.

MOTOR RACING: The leading British sports car racing driver. Derek Bell, three times winner of Le Mans and the runner-up this year, will race a Renault 5 Turbo at Donington Park today. Bell will exchage his 200 mph. 600 hhp Le Mans Porsche 956 for a 160 bhp saloon to contest the British round of the 12-race Renault 5 Turbo Elf European Cup series.

CYCLING: Scan Kelly of Ireland won this year's. Tour of Switzerland after finishing fourth on yesterday's lith and last stage from Brugg to Zurich. ATHLETICS: The British team for

the world championships in Helsinki in August has been selected for 15 MEN: 800m: S Cos: Triple Jump: K Connor; Hammer: R Weir; Decathou: D Thompson: Zizn weil: S Barry; Marathos: M Gratton, H

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Kinch; Shot: V. Heed, M. Ritchie; Discus: Heed
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Sanderson, F. Whitbread; Marather: K. Blans, 6
Penny, J. Smith.

BOXING: Greg Steene, a promoter. who was recently granted a manager's licence, has signed the former undefeated British and European heavyweight champion, John L. Gardner, and the Souther area light-heavyweight champion, Dennis Andries, both of Hackney.

RACING RESULTS 4.45 SCURRY HANDICAP (3-y-o files: 21,469;

TOTE: Win: 28.70, Places: £2.40, £2.00, £4.90. DF: £18.10, CSF: £84.02. Trices: £2.50.07. R Hollminted at Upper Longdon. 1, as in id. Super Loch £2. fayl. Cherry Session £20-11 48b. 14 rav. 1 m 24.95coc. NF: Lacylish. TOTE DOUBLE: Steel Nd., Kellstitz. £40.85. TREBLE: Outst Work, Germilous, Rely. On Guy. £120.75. PLACEPOT: £24.75.

Lingfield Park 2.00 SSREN STAKES (3-y-o: selling: 2978: 8f)

SURFING ERA b c by Young Generation -Tidal Water (J Celotion) 8-11

3.00 AVALON HANDICAP (\$3,128: 60) TOTE WAT E-20, "Forme \$1.70, Clast Un-\$30.20, CSF: 250.33, M McCourt at Wardage, 3, 2, Old Dominion \$3-2, 40, 7 nm 1m 11.57asc

130 COURAGE BEST SITTER HANDICAP

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\$1.40. DF: 254.90. CSF: 2208.92. R Akshurst at
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Officer, No-U-Turn, Fun Galore. \$11.45 paid on
direct sure lange.

Stavros Niarchos's 110,00 gni-neas colt Millbow, a son of Mill Reef, was 3-1 on favourite on his first appearance in the Margaret Maiden stakes at Doucaster yesterday but found one too good for him in another Newmarket ne the 6-1 chance Quick Work.

STATE OF BORNE: Newcastle Donessier - Brit. Chapeton - Brit. Monday: Notificity - Brit. (Mandan - Brit. Mynds.)

Yesterday's results EN'S SINGLES dec: J. S. Connors (US)

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the tournament circuit at the end of 1976 because they wanted to

Those were the days, he says with court matches were not starting persuasive powers of Olga Morozountil 2 O'clock so that the va, the 1974 Wimbledon runner-up,
Rick Meyer of the United States. Wimbledon committee could have
us been explaining the secrets of their lunch in peace.

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inis week, Both matches were linely balanced. After the morning foursomes were shared between England and France, the singles stood at 2.2 when Miss Douglas became involved in a tense struggle with Corinne Soules, There had

been comprehensive victories for Linda Bayman and Beverley New. For Ireland against Scotland, Miss Higgins was severely tested by Pamela Wright, in support of single wins by Claire Hourinane and Mary McKenns.

Miss Soules went ahead for the

last time with a long putt for a birdie three at the 14th, but immediately surrendered the advantage by missing the green at the short 15th,

It was now a contest which demanded more than golfing talent. Here Miss Douglas had the edge, as

she used her cool composure to take advantage of the French girl's

collapse.
At the 16th, with Miss Soules in disarray, Miss Douglas had two shots for the hole from seven feet, but was forced to putt out, to win

with a four to a six. A fairway bunker claimed both tee shots at the

17th, but whereas Miss Soules came

out clean, with a mid-ireon effort, Miss Douglas bravely, some might and 4: A Pear It S Roberts, 5 and 3 or Richardly, chose a five wood

England go out

eyes are smiling

Kitrina Donglas, the British women's golf campion of 1982, holed a 20ft putt on the 7th and Eavan Higgins a 10-yard chip shot at the 19th to carry England and Ireland, respectively, into the semi final round of the European women's championship at Royal Waterloo yesterday, Ireland now play Sweden, the holders, and England face Germany, the winners of the qualification competition.

Aitken, but Miss McKenna and this week, Both matches were finely

No one who saw the way previous finals, in which they can enjoy with more detach-India disposed of England on Wednesday would dismiss their chances of beating West Indies in the final of the Prudential the same time no one in his gland in 1980 which they lost right mind will confidently England owed their visitors.

victory so unlikely is the venue, It is no coincidence that India's spinner, Kirti Azad. two most notable victories in this year's competition have been at Old Trafford, in codintions that might have been

They beat England there in the semi-finals and West Indies in their opening match. With the temperature near the 80s. the ball keeping low and their compatriots on all sides of them, cheering wildly, the Indians must have found Manchester on Wednesday a home from home. They took full advantage of it, not only to beat England, but to outplay them. The manner in which India scored their last 80 runs

was brilliant. The trouble for them today is that the Lord's pitch will have more pace and bounce. I can think of nowhere in England that the West Indians would rather be playing the match. Their fast bowlers love it there, as do their batsmen. The very conditions which will sharpen the West Indian attack may expose the comparative plainness of India's, Bowling at Lord's makes Roberts and Holding feel young again. Marshall is young, anyway, and

It will be West Inidies's fifth one-day international at Lord's. The others were the two

beat Australia (1975) and England (1979), last Saturday's match against Australia, which they won easily, and a Prudento an opening parterniship of What makes an Indian 135 between Boycott and Willey and to some steady bowling by not the occasion - the Indians Marks, whose counterpart on are well capable of rising to that. the Indian side today is the off

Lord's teams

WEST INDIES From: C. H. Lloyd (captain), C. G. Greenidge, D. L. Haynes, I. V. A. Richards, H. A. Gomes, S. F. A. Bacchus, P. J. Dujon, M. D. Marshall, A. M. E. Roberts, J. Garner, M. A. Holding, W. W. Daniel, W. W. Davis.

**NDIA: From: Kapil Dev (captain), S. H. Grasakar, K. Srikkamit, D. B. Vengsarker, M. Amamath, Yashpal Sharma, S. M. Patif, K. Azed, R. M. Binny, S. Maden Lal, S. M. H. Kirmani, S. B. Sandhu.

Umpirea: H. D. Bird and B. J. Meyer.

India's hopes rely on their doing the basic things well. In the semi-finals their fielding. scrappy to start with became pretty good. The accuracy with which Amarnath and Jirti Azad bowled is four-fifths of all good Australian television, it gave bowling. As for India's batting, someone somewhere the idea the stroke players are there if that, where the Americans had the ionings is given anything of a start. Here Gavaskar's form and mood will count for a lot. He has had a poorish year for him and may not be quite the player he was of genuine speed. However, at Old Trafford on Wednesday the signs were returning of a little wizard at

If a final between England and West Indies had seemed the proper climax to a successful fortnight, chauvinism was partly the reason for that. Now we

ment what will be a different sort of match. Where England would have been pitting their "professionalism", such as it is, against the might of the West Indians, India will bank on what Charles Fry used to admire as their unequalled instinct for the artistry of cricket. As the underdogs, India will have the support of the uncommitted. In India the whole nation is said to be agog with excitement, its collective

In 1975 and again in 1979 West Indies had their anxious moments before coming through to win. On both occasions they were put in, first by Ian Chappell, then by Mike Brearley. Against Australia they were 50 for three before Lloyd made a hundred; against En-gland they were 99 for four before Richards did so, with some breathtaking support from

ear to the transistor.

The first of the two finals, which ended at 8.45, was the most famous of all games of one-day cricket. It was also the most fateful. Shown live on baseball, the Australians could have World Series Cricket.

That match ended, like last Wednesday's between England and India. with the expatriates in the crowd overjoyed by their side's success, bursting on to the field when the match was over. Should this happen today I hope that neither of the umpires sees himself as a kind of vigilante in the way that Oslear did at Old Trafford

Youth on the side of Kapil Dev

Kapel Dev Nikhanj, to give him his full name, will perhaps attract more attention than anyone else at Lord's today, Richards included. At Tunbridge Wells last week he almost singlebandeldly won India a match with a recordbreaking undefeated 175. His charismatic cricket and burning ambition present the biggest obstacle to another West Indies

Of the great players who began as slow bowlers, before deciding it was folly to continue. no name surprises as much as that of Kapil Dev (although Alan Knott runs him close). At school Kapil was the only boy to be dropped from the first team when it represented the state. "I was upset and jealous," he recalls. "I started to bowl fast and hit hard and I have not gone back to spin since."

The youngest bowler to take 100 Test wickets; the youngest batsman to reach 1,000 Test runs; holder of the World Cup record score: these days there is little liklihood of his being dropped from any team.

At 24 he is not quite India's youngest captain - "Tiger"
Patandi holds that distinction but he is young enough, and at present dominant enough, to hape the face of his country's cricket for the next decade."

It is hard, though, to avoid the comparisons Kapil loathes-not with Wadekar or Gayaskar but with Botham, who had the captaincy of England at 24 and went on to lose it along with his

"When I am batting or bowling," Kapil says, "I have



Kapil Dev: the hard face of India

maker. I want to be a captain who inspires through tactics as well as performance. I want my players to bave their minds on cricket more than other things,"

His players know that Kapil will not hold kimself back. He likes to play his cricket, as he puts it, "with the hard men." Today he will be in his element.

similar situations at a more exalted level, but it was not a wicket for the famous forward prod. This time he prodded forward and departed leg-

When Foster found the outside edge of Willey's bat, for Gooch to take the first of two good catches at

second slip, there was no one left to resist and not a bat was raised in anger, Mallender's three proving the highest scoring stroke of the day.

emateur team championship at the amageur team championsum at the quarter-final stage here vesterday when they were beaten by four matches to three by Spain. The heroes for Spain, on the Chantilly course, were two fresh-faced tecnagers, Joce Maria Olazabal and last Josephane who toosthan losé Ignacie Gervas, who together won their foursomes and then each

gained memorable extra-time wins in the singles series.

In spite of sharing the two foursomes - Olazabal and Gervas had a famous win by 2 and 1 against Peter McEvoy and Stephen Keppler - England remained confident of progressing with five singles to follow. McEvoy, a little tired as be comleted his third round in less than 24 hours, broke the brave resistance of Ramon Taya to win 4 and 3 and Jonathan Planton was comfortably in charge against Boria

ained memorable extra-time wins

and 3 and Jonathan Planton was comfortably in charge against Borja Queipo de Liano whom he eventually overcame 2 and 1.

The English camp, however, began to grit their neeth against the improbable happening when the towering figure of Alejo Olle carefully guided a ten-foot putt into the hole on the 18th to beat Keppler.

By that time the Soanish still

By that time the Spanish still looked unlikely winners but the enthusiasm of Olazabal and Gerras was not to be denied. In Spanish amateur circles there is talk of Olazabal becoming another Balles-teros. He is nicknamed "the machine", and now he demon-

from behind against Oldcom Victory was his when he holed from eight feet at the 20th.

strated his determination by com

Miss Hourihane restored the balance, both on the 17th green, leaving Miss Higgins and Miss Wright involved in a crucial stuggle.

A putt from Miss Higgins struck the rim of the hole at the 18th, but she

chipped in for a birdie three at the

missed from seven tect.

RESULTS: Sweden 5, Spain 2 Foursomes (Sweden Brat). It Heighton and V Holt bt C Alessere and M Orusta. I hole; I heumann and A Chensterm lost to V Perferra and M Tey, I hole. Singles: Holf in Tey, I hole. E Debiol in Pertiama, 2 and 1; Chensterm, tered with Massirs, Hagstrom to Orusta, 4 and 2. Neursann halved with M Cassillo.

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2 and 1.
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h Kara

Scotland, too, looked in danger before they eventually overcant Norway 4-3. The match was delicately poised at 3-3 when Colir Datgleish, one up with two to play against Ragnuald Risan, put he nine-tron approach into a bunker a the 17th. Datgleish, however, campout to two feet and Risan took three putts from 40 feet to lose the bok and the match. and the match.

Scotland now meet Ireland in the Semi-finals today. Ireland had little trouble in overcoming France 6-1 Philip Walton led the way with ar excellent three and two win over the experienced Alex Godillot.

GUARTER-FINALS: England loss to Spain 4England names first). Foursomess A Oldon-32and P Hedges bit A Olio and 3 Mayorni 5 and E. a.

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Old fined £2,000 for article

England fast bowler, yesterday received one of the severest nunishments meted out to a county player, a fine of £2,000 and a suspension of 12 cricketing days. The Test and County Cricket Board's discipline committee sen-tenced Old for a 'derogatory' article in a naional newspaper criticist his former county, Yorkshire.

already been fined £1,000 by his county and has now felt the backlash of the authorities for refusing to disclose the sum he received from The Sun when asked to do so at the hearing, he has the right of appeal to the Cricket Council's appeals committee, which will be headed by an independent chairman, and the fine and ban will

Old, now with Warnickshire, had

Old is believed to have recieved around £5,000 for the article. The Suspension was originally scheduled to Start from today's march his former Yorkshire colleagues and last until July 12 inclusive, but with the appeal taking around two weeks to set up, he can now play at

One of 15 Englishmen banned from Test cricket for taking part in lest year's rebel tour of South last year's rebel tour of South Africa, Old was accompanied at the hearing by the Warwickshire secretary Alan Smith and his cricket manager David Brown.

The TCCB will warn all players that press comments must be approved by the county club or themselves, feeling that Old's aricle was one to 'discredit the game'. The full statement read: "The disciplinary committee of the TCCB met today to consider whether any further action should be

name in *The San* on May 24 (Warwickshire having fined him "Old attended the hearing and was accompanied by secretary Alan Smith and cricket manager David

Brown. When asked by the committee to disclose the sum be received following publication of the article. Old declined to do so. article. Old declined to do so.

"The committee therefore decided to impose an additional fine on the player of £2,000 and suspended him from playing for his county from June 25 to July 12 inclusive. (This period involves 12 days' county

"The committee view derogate

articles of this nature which discredit the game with very great concern. All county cricketers will again be reminded of the board's discipline regulations which state discipline regulations which state that articles written by players will only be allowed to be printed provided they have been approved by the county club or the TCCB."

"The article under Old's name appeared in The Sun in spite of Waymintechine's known disapproval of \\'arwickshire's known disaproval of

some of the contents."
"Old was reminded of his right of appeal to the Cricket Council appeals committee against the decision and gave notice of his

"Accordingly, the discipline committee have agreed that their decision will not be implemented until after the appeal has been

Boycott's century just not enough

SHEFFIELD: Derbyshire (22 points) beat Yorkshire (4) by 22 runs. Derbyshire's first championship victory over Yorkshire for 26 years was closer than might have been expected on a pitch reported as unfit Geoffrey Boycott batted with such supreme skill. He carried his bat for Carriet 7 for 49.

and surely, under the conditions, one of his best. Until they had picked up the three remaining wickets yesterday, Derbyshire could never be entirely certain but a diving gully eatch by Fowler removed Dennis and they

12, the 133rd century of his career

This was the eleventh wicket, at a cost of 89, in the match for Ole Mortensen, the 25-year-old Danish fast bowler who gave up his job as a Chris Old, the 34-year-old former tax assistant to try his luck in English cricket. He has already proved to be a bowler with strength and stamina and has taken 27 wickets in seven championship games. Derbyshire's young captain, to victory over Yorkshire achieved something which eluded his nine predecessors, has already come to rely on Mortensen. The Dane and the West Indian Michael Holding should form a formidable partner

Drizzle delayed the start for 90 minutes and Yorkshire, needing 62, soon lost two more wickets. Stevenson played an irresponsible

catch to cover, and Illingsworth, playing forward, was bowled by Moir. Boycott completed his hundred after three and a half hours and Dennis batted far more sensibly than some who had gone before as he shared a last-wicket stand of 35.

P Cerrick b Mortaneen
A Sidebottom b Moir.
G B Stavenson o Fowler b Mo
R Bingworth b Moir.
S I Cerrick o Fowler b Mortaneen
Extras (-b 5, w 5, n-b 3)

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-0, 2-21, 3-34, 4-52, 8-142, 6-157, 7-192, 8-197, 9-198, 10-238. Umpires: it Julien and M J (Otchen.

The pitch at Abbeydale Park, Sheffield, has been reported as "unfit for first class cricket" by the umpires, Ray Julian and Mervyn Kitchen. They had previously requested that Bernard Flack, the TCCB inspector of pitches, should visit the ground to make an assessment. Mr Flack has sent samples of soil for analysis to

Pocock opts for pace and Sussex stand firm

BASINGSTOKE: Hampshire (7pts)

drew with Sussex (3).
Having declared 69 ahead at their overnight score Hampshire had either to bowl out Sussex cheaply, or feed them and hope to be set a feasible target. Rather unenterpri-singly Pocock, once it became plain that Sussex were not going to be bundled out a second time, persisted with his quicker bowlers.

It was late in the afternoon before a slow bowler was allowed an over, and by that time Sussex were 115 ahead with seven wickets standing. Barclay and Parker both completed lifties, a rare occurrence these days, Le Roux eventually struck an assortment of vast sixes, and the game ground to a rustic hait.
In weather calling for overcoats,
Mendis and Heath put on 53 before
Heath mishooked Stevenson and

was caught in the region of long stop. Mendis was caught at second slip and then Colin Wells, leg before to Nicholas, acquired his third duck in four innings.

At this point Hampshire, if Sussex were to but as indifferently as

they had done in their first innings, appeared to have a chance. Barclay, however, looked intent on some necessary practice, and Parker, even more subdued, followed suit.

In due course, Barclay disclosed his square cut to be in working order and twice he drove Malone in something like his old style through the covers. Parker, too, unfolded his off drive after pushing defensively forward for two hours. As tea approached, he was caught at the wicket off Stevenson for 58, after he and Barclay had put on 122. and Barclay had put on 122.
All this time, there was medium pace at both ends and the most

violent contact came when Barclay, going for a third run, collided with the innocently grazing square leg and did a double somersault.

Prudential World Cup Final LORD's West Index v Inde (10.48-7.30) County Championship CHESTERFIELD: Dehysite v Middleser RFORD: Easex v Sussex SHSTOL: Gloucestenhine v Hampshire HNCCLE': Leicester v Glanoyen TRENT SHIDGE: Notinghenshire v Land

Tremlett removed the younger Wells and Barciay in almost identical fashion, as they pushed half forward at lifting deliveries and were caught at slip. Storey, the Sussex coach, was now roped in to umpire, which meant he had umpired and fielded as substitute in the same match.

SUBSEX: First lenings 218 (G D Mends 91; K Stavenson 5 for 81). Second Immings
G D Mendis c Pocock 5 Tremett
JR P Heath e Melone 5 Sevenson
JR T Barcaly e Nicholes 5 Tremett
C M Welts 1-5-w 5 Nicholes
P W G Parker e Parke 5 Sevenson
A P Wells c Pocock 5 Tremett
G S te Rotz e Micholes 5 C L Smith
D A Reserve not out

Total (7 wick dec) 278
FALL OF WICKETS: 1-63, 2-51, 3-62, 4-184, 5-188, 6-197, 7-274, BOWLERG: Melone 19-5-43-0; Stevenson 18-8-55-2; Tremiet: 27-8-71-3; Nicholes 12-4-28-1; Courley 8-4-41-0; C L Smith 4-1-20-1.

NAMPSHIRE: First Innings 287 for 4 dec (F. A. Smith 104 not out. C. I. Smith 83, Bovling: Le Poux 22-5-64-2; Pigot 13-0-67-1; Reeve 18-6-48-0; C. M. Wells 17-6-48-1; Weller 27-8-58-0]. Umpires: J H Harris and J van Galovan.

Championship table



Weekend cricket fixtures

HINCKLEY: Leicester v Glazzorger TREINT BRIDGE: Nottinghamstere v Lancie THE CVAL: Surrey v Northemptonshire EDGBASTON: Warwickshire v Yorkshire

TOMORROW John Player League (2-6.40 or ?)

CHESTERPELD: Derbyshire v Middlese ILFORD: Essex v Sussex CANTERBURY: Kent v Notinghemshire LEICESTER: Leicestershire v Glemorgen BATH: Somerest v Gleucestershire EAST MOLESEY (Imber Count): Surrey Morthametraphics EDGBASTON: Warwickshire v Haropshire WORCESTER: Worresturethire v Vorkethir

Popplewell allowed his indulgence By Alan Gibson

It was a grey but dry day. Gloucestershire had declared overwas no more than a preliminary to a Somerset declaration. In fact, it was redeemed to some extent by an innings from Popplewell, who scored a century in 41 minutes, the fourth furner at least in terms of fourth fastest, at least in terms of

It would be a mistake to think of this as a great innings. I have seen him but much better on more taxing occasions. Gloucestershire did not make much attempt to contain him.
Dudleston had a long bowl, fortified
by taking the wicket of Roebuck,
who had reached a handsome 50. It was said that his figures, one for 81 in 10 overs, had improved his career

owing average.

But Popplewell did hit the ball clean action he bowls quite quickly, eached 143, with nine sixes and 17 reached 143, with nine sixes and 17 fours. I have always thought him a good cricketer, though he has been slow to fulfil his promise. He won his county cap last week, and this was an appropriate celebration.
Rocbuck's declaration set Giou-

cestershire to score 306 in 194 minutes. The pitch was playing easily, and the outfield was fast, but over 300 in a fourth innings is a lot. They lost their first wicket, the important one of Stovold, at 11, and the bowler was Popplewell. Hignell and Romaines went briskly, but at tes, after 23 overs, the score was 91, below the required rate of about five and a haif an over.
At 104, in the 26th over,

Romaines was bowled, and at 128, Hignell, who looked the only possible man to win the match, was caught anarthy at extra cover. Cloucesterahire kept trying for a while, but lost wickets, and after the seventh fell, at 167, sensibly stopped chasing. They saved the match without much difficulty, though they lost another wicket in the last

SCHERSET: First Irrangs 236 (J W Lloyds 61; J N Shapherd 5 for 80).

Second furings

'P M Roebuck b Duffeston

N A Fetton at Russel 5 Searchings

N F M Popplewel 5 Searchury

P A Scoombe not cut.

P W Detroit one cut. Total S whom deck.... BOWLING: Shepherd 7-7-0-0; Sahebury 10.4-2-55-1; Gravency 17-2-55-0; Bainbridge 8-2-40-1; Dudleston 10-1-81-1; Dougley 5-0-25-0. GLOUCESTERSHIPE: First levings 232 for 7 dec (A.J. Hignes 103; P.H.L.E. Wilson 4 for 77)

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A J Higmel c Stocombe is Wiscon.
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J N Shepherd is Wiscon.
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Total (7 wids) FALL OF WICKETS: 1-10, 2-104, 3-126, 4-148, 5-149, 8-185, 7-167.

90-YKLING: Wilson 23-2-83-3; Poppleme 34-2; Petror 9-1-27-1; Russon 5-Lloyds 5.5-2-14-1; Roebuck 2-0-6-0. Umpires: R.A. White and W.E.Alley. Tilcon trophy dates

Northamptonshire, the holders, meet Leicestershire in the semi-final

meet Leicestershire in the semi-final of the 55-over Tilcon trophy tournament at Harrogate on Wednesday, July 6. Yorkshire meet Nottinghamshire the following day, both matches starting at 11.00. The final, on Friday, July 8, will start at 10.30. Imran returns

The Pakisian captain, Imran Khan will play his first match of the

knam win pay his disk match of the season for Sussex in the John Player League on Sunday against Essex at illord. Imman, who has not bowled since February because of the stress fracture in his left shin, will but only in coming matches.

Lamb's return Allan Lamb, the England batsman, returns to the Northampton-shire side for the championship match with Surrey starting at the

Northants forced to fly the white flag somewhat surprising reluctance to leave the crease after getting a thick inside edge at least suggested that he wished to stay and battle it out, started the side. Steele has faced circular circular circular at a more realized.

Middlesex may well win the county championship but the view that they are already certain to do so is not one to express in Essex. Yesterday they took just 50 minutes to demolish Northamptonshire, who lest their mensions six wickers. who lost their remaining six wickets, adding 24 runs to their overnight

damage, taking another four wickets to finish with six for 36 and match figures of 11 for 95. At the other end Foster took three for 23, an impressive performance from some-one who spent lest summer out of the game with a stress fracture of the vertebrae, and now bowls with two

be can stay injury-free he looks the best of the young filest bowiers. The meekness of Northampton-shire's surrender makes it difficult to tell how good Essex are. With the

exception of Willey, the top scorer in both innings, who batted for 125 minutes for his 21, and to a lesser resolution about the batting.
The departure of Bamber, whose

Gecond Index

"If Code I-b-w b Lever ...

"V Levine c and b Philip

P Wiley c Gooch b Foster ...

D J Wide D E East b Lever ...

R G Williams c Philip b Foster

M J Bamber c Hardle b Lever ...

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-4, 2-19, 3-26, 4-38, 5-70, 5-72, 7-72, 8-79, 9-80, 10-81. BOWLING: Lever 15.4-4-36-6; Philip 10-1-16-1; Foster 13-3-23-3.

Aslett and Cowdrey steady the boat

Kent cruised to a comfortable six-wickets victory over Nottingham-shire at Trent Bridge yesterday despite the early efforts of the off-spinner Peter Sach, aged 19. Such took three wickets in the first hour of the final day as Kent, resuming at four without loss, chased their 133 runs victory target. In the sixth over of the morning the opener Benson was caught

the opener Benson was caught behing by French for seven, then Taylor and Baptiste both fell to Such for 13.

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At that stage, with Kent on 43 for three, Kent's seemed in trouble but the north wicket pair of Aslett and Cowdret steadied them with a stand worth 39 before Cowdrey was caught on the boundary for 24.

Aslett and Knott then steered Kent to victory with an unbroken fifth wicket stand of 55, as Kent finished on 134 for four so collected 23 points and move to third in the

LEICESTER: Two and a half days of complete control ended in disappointment for Leicestershire as rain wrecked the final afternoon of

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-32, 2-54, 3-80, 4-80, 5-80, 8-118, .

BOY/LING Taylor 5-2-9-1; Fairle 4-1-8-1.

Worcestrakire, the bottom two in the county championship table, experienced further gloom yesterday, with only 40 minutes play possible on the final day of their match, which was finally abandoned as a draw at 5 ft on

OTHER SCOREBOARDS

Leicester: Leicestershire (8pts) drew Trent Bridge: Kent (23pts) beat Nottinghamshire (6) by six wickets. with Surrey (4). LEICESTERSHERE: First Invince 394.for 5 dec (F W Tolchard 80 not out, F B Cith 63, B F Carrison 60), Second Invinces JC Baiderstone 63 wid b Clarke 18

5-80, 8-118, BOWLING: Clark 16-844-2 Thomas 18-7-272; Monthouse 9-130-2; Curits 19-8-24-0.
SWREET: First Implies 209
Second Intrings
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R DV Knight and out. 6
8 A Lynch not out. 1
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8 Extres (5-9) 4 Abergavenny: Glamorgan (1pt) drew with Worcestershire (3).

WORCESTERSHIRE: First training 394 for 8 dec (P A Neste 135, M J Woston 73, J A Christol 79). Total (2 wide) ...

Impires: K Buckets and CT Spencer. Edgoaston: warwin Oxford University. OXPORD UNIVERSITY: First implice 310 for 5 dec (R P Moulding 80 not out, A J Miller 78, R M Edbrooke 71). M Editroxis 71).
Second infinity: 48 for 1 (Bowling: PA Smith
41-25-1; Thome 41-20-0).
WARNICKSHIRE: First bridge 358 for 8 dec.
(PA Smith 114, D M Smith 100 not out, D L.
Amiss 62: KA Hayes 5 for 58).

lunch, Leicestershire, looking for quick runs, had reached 139 for six and built up an overall lead of 279.
But 40 minutes rain after the break
forced a declaration and that set Surrey 280 to win in 195 minutes.

Surrey started badly, losing Butcher and Clinton on their way for 22 for two, but the rain came again to put a final dampener on In the morning, Leicester had tossed away wickets in an effort to built on their overnight advantage of 190. After they had shipped to 30 for five against Thomas and Monkhouse, Briers revived the innings with an unbeaten 36.

as a draw at 5.10 pm.
Glamorgan had reached 76 for two in reply to Worcestershire's 394 for six, with A. L. Jones 31 not out.

NOTTINGHANSHREE First Immings 238 (C E B Rice 98; D L Underwood 7 for 88). Second Instrys: 158 (D L Underwood 8 for 78). Second unisign: 100 pt 1 Such 6 for 123).

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M R Benson c Franch b Such 7
D 9 Asiett not out 45
E A Begiste c Franch b Such 13
C S Cowdray e Johnson b Henralings 2/
14 P E Knott not out 21
Extres [b 1, I-b 6]

Total (4 wide) __

FALL OF WICKETS: 1-18, 2-25, 3-42, 4-82

BOWLING: Hernmings 16.2-1-64-1; Such 16-2-65-3.

GLABIORGANC: First innings
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L. Jones not as
A Francis to Warner
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Total (2 wkts, 24.3 overs)
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Jones, "M W W Selvey, B J Lloyd and M
Nesh did not bet. BCMLING: Eleock 12-2-25-0; Warner 12-4-25-2: Philipson 0.3-0-2-0. Untpires: C Cook and P J Enia.

A vexatious slip twixt lip and cup

By Lewine Mair

Late yesterday evening a 20ft putt someone asked afterwards about h that Ken Brown had to make to take the lead at the halfway stage of the Glasgow Classic at Haggs Castle, pulled up on the rim of the hole to be the Radac Cup places in a second stage of the lead at the Bades Cup places in a second stage of the lead to the le leave the Ryder Cup player in a three-way tie with Christy O'Can-nor jur and Bernhard Langer on 136, four under par.

Brown, who has had two second place finishes on the European tour this season, paved the way for his 67 yesterday with an outward half of 31 against the par of 35.

Langer woke on Wednesday with his injured neck so stiff and sore that he rang the airlines for details of flights back to Munich. However, ost inguts tack to Monich. However, his morning session with a local osteopath — a scratch golfer with pictures of Gary Player and Arnold Palmer in his surgery — went so well that he was encouraged to take his place on the first tee.

yesterday, with the sun helping to the round yesterday, with the sun helping to the round yesterday, he insisted that ease his swing still further, he had be would not contemplate taking the six birdies and a 66. Where the main features of O'Connor's 66 was his long straight driving, what iong straight driving, what struck one most about Langer's play was the way in which he was tapping home his three and four putt. One could not but feel for him when

been taking pain-killers to quieter recurring back trouble, followed hi first round 70 with a 67. Comin home, he was four times bunkere and twice in trees but a fally of It putts enabled him to escape with a extraordinary three under par halong of 32.

After he had led the pre-qualifier for the tournament, Murray madthe point that he felt he should have been among those who received invitations to the tournamen proper, which prompted lar Peebles, one of the promoters, to say he would give the Scot £100 "if he can prove me wrong by finishing u the top ten". Peebles's remark: doubtless served to make Murra

Leeding scores from Glasgow Clessic (3 unless stated): 130: K Brown 69, 67: B Lange (WG) 70, 68: C O'Connor Junior 70, 66. 137: Huten 69, 68: E Mustrey 70, 67: 138: V Fernade (Art) 70, 68: D Frost (SA) 73, 65: D Jones 70, 68, 138: J Hapgarty 69, 70; W Grady, 71, 58: Hoad 72, 67: F Lyte 69, 70.

EQUESTRIANISM

Swiss edge ahead in triple jump-off

From Jenny MacArthur, Aachen

in which the outcome was decided by a timed jump-off between the three countries. Britain finished in second place and lie equal first with France in the league for the President's Cup. Germany, the favourites to win here, finished third.

The Swiss team included Heidi

Robbiani, the Swiss champion. She and Paul Schockemohle, of Germany, were the only riders with three clear rounds in the compe-tition. The course for the first two rounds was big, as was expected, with a particularly testing treble as the penultimate fence. The distance between the second and third parts was tight, and created more problems than any other fence.

After the first round, Britain and Germany tied on eight faults, Switzerland were second with 12 and Ireland were fourth with 12½. Ireland went out of the running in the second round, when they collected 24 faults, but Switzerland put pressure on the others when their first three riders all went clear, giving them a final total of 12 points.

Britain's Michael Whitaker, who rides with a skill and judgment remarkable for his 23 years, produced a faultless round on Amanda, Jean Germany, on Whistling Song, had eight faults and Nick Skelton, on Everest If Ever, had four. Malcolm Pyrah had to so

Switzerland gained their first clear if Britain were to stay in the victory in the Nations Cup here running he is the right man for such pressure and completed a copy bool against the British and the Germans round.

Germany's fourth rider, was in the same position as Pyrah, and he tor was up to it - the vociferous bone crowd were jumping each fence with him - and Germany also wen through to the jump-off. In front of a hushed stad

Whitaker, the first to go in the timer. jump-off, went clear for Britain but the other three each had four fault. giving Britain a total of eight fault.

(the first three scores only an counted). Germany also finished or cight but in a slower time, but the Swiss produced two clear round; which settled the issue. Their final, score of four faults left them this

Whitaker, who is an amateur, has been in top form all week. He was a member of the winning Nations. Cup team in Barcelona in May 2003. his performance here yesterday proved once more that he is equal to. the pressures of competing in a top international event. He must now be considered a possible candidate for Britain's European champion.

RESULTS: National Cup: 1, Switzerland, 2 toutes: 2, Britain, 8 toutes to 113,64 rec 5, Garmany, 6 in 115,11, President's Gip, (seeding positions): 1 equal; France and Great Shitain, Styria: 5, Switzerland, 25; 4, Garmany, 25; 4, Garmany,

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Newmanical

By Michael Seely

Of the other runners, Cru-

victory in the Ascot Stakes. Red

Injun showed signs of returning

to the form that saw him win a

Ripon handicap by six lengths

last August when running well

behind Little Wolf at Ascot.

However, Karadar possesses a

touch of class which should

enable him to stretch his rivals over this testing two miles. Stoute and the Aga Khan

may also win the Stephen

Nickel Alloys Qualifier.

Geest Stakes. Persian Glory ran the race of his life when second

at Royal Ascot. The Fort was

one of Cecil's best two-year-olds

last season and is sure to be a formidable adversary. How-

ever, preference must be for Orixo. Dick Hern's easy New-bury winner looked magnificent

in the paddock before losing his footing behind Horage in the St James's Palace Stakes and is

The whole racing world will

trainer whose big race successes

sure to take all the beating.

Karadar can give Michael yielding surface to be seen at her Stoute his second successive most effective.

Victory in the Miners' Nor
Of the other runners, Cruthumberland Plate at Newcastle sader Castle, Right Regent and today. Heavy rain caused the Red Injun all have to be thumberland Plate at Newcastle abandonment of the meeting last year, but in 1981 Dawn Johnny captured this historic trophy on the same afternoon that Shergar romped home in the Irish Derby. Now the Newmarket trainer attempts to complete the same double with

Karadar and Shareef Dancer. Karadar, Morgan's Choice and Mountain Lodge are the three horses that have shown the most improved form since the publication of the weights. Karadar disappointed in soft ground behind Future Spa in the Lymm Stakes at Haydock but fought like a tiger when beaten by Santella Man in the Queen's Vase at Ascot on his favourite firm going. This tough battler is the ideal type for one of the most rugged races in the

At Doncaster last autumn Morgan's Choice finished three lengths behind Karadar in the Esal Bookmakers' Hanicap and is now 71b better off at the weights with his conqueror. His trainer, John Hill, made a successful 900 mile round trip from Devon in 1978 on his only from Devon in 1976 out in swin with previous visit to win with Friendly Neighbour. And the Barnstable butcher is hoping to see Morgan's Choice give a repeat performance of last week's Ascot victory.

Mountain Lodge is the one that they all have to fear. Last year's Cesarewitch winner shaped like a much improved filly when fourth to Ore in the on Thursday, Lambton was a Heary II Stakes at Sandown, much loved man and a skilful Mountain Lodge has recovered from the bruised heel that included the 1946 Lincon prevented her from taking on Handicap with Langton Abbot Little Wolf in the Ascot Gold and the Ayr Gold Cup in 1964 Cup. However, she needs a with Compensation.

Caerleon set to topple Teenoso

By Our Irish Racing An historic Flat race will be staged at the Curragh this afternoon when in the 22nd running of the Irish Sweeps Derby Tecnoso, winner of the Epsom Derby, and Caerleon, successful in the Prix du considered. Right Regent has picked up an 81b penalty for his Jockey Club take one another on.
A diligent search through the records indicate that this is the first time that the English and French Derby winners have taken one another on in the same month in which they won those two classics.

It was always the dream of the Sweeps Derby originator, the late Joseph McGrath, that his race would bring together the best colts in Europe for a championship By a coincidence the winning By a coincidence the winning margin for Teenoso at Epsom and Caerleon at Chantilly was identical and in both cases it appeared as if the margin of superiority could have

Eastern Handicap with Assara. The Nishapour filly enjoyed none too clear a run when been extended.

Today's race will be of particular importance to Teenoso as it will afford him an opportunity of proving that he is equally effective fourth to Sing To Me at Yarmouth and is sure to be Marper for that race, Visitors to Newcastle can start the afterproving that he is equally effective no matter what the state of the going. The ground at Epsom was astonishingly deep and Teenoso's time was in consequence the slowest of the century. In contrast today's fast conditions will suit Caerleon ideally for he is totally unsuited by heavy going and only recovered his juvenile, excellence when racing in France on a good terrain. noon on a good note by backing Bourbonieu in the Philip Cornes A fierce battle is expected at Newmarket for the £14,000 Van to Tecorno in the Jersey Stakes

[Television (BBC 1) 3.5] 3.5 IRISH SWEEPS DERBY (Group 1: 3-y-o: £133,675: 1m 4f) (12

Teenoso: Curragh test

Carlingford Castle, the only or

of Teenoso's rivals to mount any sort of a challenge in the straight



mourn Teddy Lambton, who died at his home at Newmarket Petron Bay, 33 Califad, 50 others.

PORISE Avaisanche Way (6-12) won 1-1 from Go Alone (level) 4 mm. Leopardisiown 77 eths good to firm July 10. Caerleon (9-2) won 31 roin L Emigrant (level) 12 mm. Chetity 1m 4f sids good June 5. Teensoo (9-0) won 31 roon Carlinghard Castle (level) with wassi (level) 14th beating over 2012 1 mm. Epson 1m 4f sids heavy June 1. Heron Bay (9-0) 8th beating over 31 to 300 of (rec 20) 10 can. Phocents 1m 21 sids good May 28, Steepy Prince (8-3) and beating 1 to Togg (ms 51) with balanthetic (giver 7b) beating 11 mm. Phocent 1m 31 histop heavy June 4. Partiament (9-0) and beating 1-1 to Wessi (level) 10 ran. Curragh 1m Irish 2000gins soft May 14. Custod (9-0) won from Bonairia (ne 51) 20 ran. Curragh 1m Irish 2000gins soft May 14. Custod (9-0) won from Bonairia (ne 51) 20 ran. Curragh 1m Irish 2000gins soft May 14. Custod (9-0) won from Russtan Routhet (9-0) 7 ran. Asoot 1m 4f sids firm June 16. Sir Sheode (8-11) 5th beating over 31 to Carlingford Castle (gave 3ti) 6 ran. Curragh 1m 4f sids start June 16. Sir Sheode (8-11) 5th beating over 31 to Carlingford Castle (gave 3ti) 6 ran. Curragh 1m 4f sids start June 16. Sir Sheode (8-11) 5th beating over 31 to Carlingford Castle (gave 3ti) 6 ran. Curragh 1m 4f sids start June 16. Sir Sheode (8-11) 5th beating over 31 to Carlingford Castle (gave 3ti) 6 ran. Curragh 1m 4f sids start May 21.

Newcastle

Draw advantage: low numbers best. [Television (ITV) 1.45, 2.15 and 2.50 races]

1.45. PHILIP CORNES NICKEL ALLOYS STAKES (2-y-o: £2,784: 6f) (9

SOURBONIEN (S Niarchos) H Ceoli 9-6
DONATOWN CHECADO (Mrs I Ryles) Dumps Smith 9-0
EL CAPIETRAND (G MAYINT) G Princhend-Gordon 9-0
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MARC'S CHOICE (Miss J Collins) F Felden 9-0
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MAINI HOLIDDAY (G Ryle) M Easterby 9-0
ROCKBARUGH (G Prett) M H Easterby 9-0
STATE BUDGET (L Budgen) W MISSOO 9-0
HOTTON PRINCESS (Mrj J Livley) M H Easterby 8-11

2.15 JOURNAL 'GOOD MORNING' HANDICAP (25.041: 7f) (14)

294-900 LYMCND (D) (Mass P Proceds) N Tractor 4-8-3 (192-913) TOP O'THE LANG (D) (M Steale) W Heigh 8-8-0 (192-913) TOP O'THE LANG (D) (M Midchessit) B (Widness 192-914) A 440-922 BEART MART (D) (T Folen) M Camacho 4-7-7 (19-112) MANDSORB EL AZE (C Booth) C Booth 8-7-7 (19-112) MANDSORB EL AZE (C Booth) C Booth 8-7-7 (19-112) MANDSORB EL AZE (C Booth) C Booth 8-7-7 (19-112) MANDSORB EL AZE (M Kefett) Denys Smith 6-7-7 (19-112) MANDSORB EL AZE (M Kefett) DENYS MANDSORB EL AZE (M Kef J Blasschie 6
M Wood 8
E Johnson 14
A Nesbit 3 3
L Charrock 2
M Fry 5 7

7-2 Ring Bidder, 9-2 Handsom Blaza, Teamwork, 6 Legal Sound, 8 Precis, Top O'The Lane, Inset Mart, 14 O L Oyelon, 20 others.

2.50 MINER'S NORTHUMBERLAND PLATE HANDICAP (£22,828: 2m) CRUBADEN CASTLE (Mellon) i Balding 4-9-8
ANOTHER SAM (D) (J Norman) R Harmon 9-8-4
KARADAR (+; H. Aga Khari) M Stoute 5-9-4
MOURTARN LODGE (D) (Ed Hellato) J Dunito 4-9-0
FITZPATHOK (A Oldrey) P Welvyn 4-8-13
RUGHT RAGENT (D) (S Hindle) M Pipe 5-8-12 (8 ex)
HOLD TRENT (T Leiterty Duilders) R Whitaior 4-8-11
WEAVERS' PIN (D) (Mrs M Francis) M Francis 8-8-11 (6 ex) x) Paul Eddery 3 ,R Sidebottom 3 9-2 Kerader, 11-2 Mountain Lodge, 7 Morgan's Choice, 8 Right Regent, 11 Red Injun, 14 to Owege, 16 Another Sam, Crusader Castle, Prince Santiago, Wasvers' Pin, 20 Anisce, 25

PORNIX Crusader Castle (9-7) 2nd beaten 11 to Future Spa (no 4th) 5 ran, Haydock 2m 28yd attented by 128, Karader (9-6) 2nd beaten shind to Santella Man (level) with Hold Tight (no 5th) 7m beaten over 10 and Asother Seal level) not in first 9 of 17 ran, Sandown 2m still good to smi June 15, Mountaine Ludge (8-5) 4th beaten 31 to Ore (gave 8th) 7 ran, Sandown 2m still good to smi June 15, Might Haguet (8-6) with Floreschick (gave 8th) not in first 9 of 20, Asoto 1 m 4 first pop do to firm June 15, Right Haguet (8-6) won nix from Prince Of Princes (gave 3th) 15 ran, Asoto 2m 4 first pood to firm June 18, Right Haguet (8-6) won nix from Prince Of Princes (gave 3th) 15 ran, Asoto 2m 4 first pood to firm June 18, Right (8-0) 7th beaten 4/1 to Apple Wins (rue 195) 9 ran, Edinburgh 1m 4/1 frosp good Apr 9, Red Right (8-0) 7th beaten 20 to Little Wolf (level) 12 ran, Asoto 2m 4 Cup good to firm June 18. Prince 9 sendage (9-5) 3rd beaten 11 to Major Setback (rue 17th) 5 ran, Ayr 1m 4/1 frosp, good June 18, Anless (7-12) won 1/2 from Backdow Hall (gave 26th) 9 ran, Redcar 1m 6/1 f80yd hi cap tirm June 18, Anless (7-12) won 1/2 from Backdow Hall (gave 26th) 9 ran, Redcar 1m 6/1 f80yd hi cap tirm June 18, Anless (7-12) won 1/2 from Backdow Hall (gave 26th) 9 ran, Redcar 1m 6/1 f80yd hi cap tirm June 18. 8.30 STEPHEN EASTEN HANDICAP (3-y-o: £1,676: 1m 2f) (7)

ALBERTAT J. Spocking Denys Smith 9-7
RISHNING MELCOY (Mrs B Sutton) J W Watts 9-5
ASTARA (H. H. Agai Khari) M Struts 9-2
MANAGERESS (S Wong) P Felicies 9-0
CARTERS WAY (W Barker) Alles 9-1
CRUINNY'S BOY (G Greenby) N Calisghan 8-9
HELEWISE (H PRECOCK) P PRECOCK 9-7 7-4 Albertut, 3 Astara, 4 Carters Way, 6 Chummy's Boy, 6 Manageress, 12 others. DURHAM STAKES (2-y-o selling: £2,859: 6f) (12) 0104 LUCKY BOARDHAM'S (Me) J Rubin) J Berry 9-4 ... BERRYS VILLE (Mrs E Ritind) M W Easterby 8-11 . B GRANGE OF GLORY (Grangetts Construction) W M Paul Eddery 3 RUM MUSIC (J. Acktern) K. Stone 8-11 YOUR CHOICE (B) (Mrs R. Black) W.H. Williams 8-11 ... GLENN'S SLEPPER (F. Glenni) J. Magne 8-8. GLOSSY TIPS (R Shiobs) R Stubbs 8-1 GLOSSY TIPS (R Shiobs) R Stubbs 8-1 GRANDE MADNAME (Mrs C Block) C Booth 8-8 CONNTY MARY (J Bergin) H Blackshaw 8-8 LITTLE NIBS HORNES (A Nicholson) G Harman 1 MUSICAL LOVE (D) (Dr C Labrectics) B Hank NATINA-MAY (J Eardby) T Fairhumt 8-8 Madama, 8 Barry Villa.

5-2 Locky Boardman's, 7-2 Musical Love, 9-2 Your Choice, Grands 4.30 HEXHAM STAKES (£1,553: 1m 4f 60yd) (12) ATIAM STANES (2.1,305: 111 47 OUYU) (12)

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90 SECRET MINSTRIEL (J Parkee) J Parkee 8-9-8

90 MASTY GODDESS (WA Stephenson) WA Stephenson 4-9-8

9-8 CHIC BOUTIOUE (B) (We M Whitney) B Hambury 3-8-8

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9-10 MAJORS (C Addisson) M H Easterly 3-8-8

9-10 MAJORS CAST (Sk E Back) G Wingg 3-8-8

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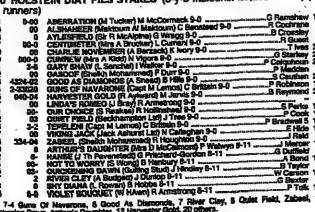
Newcastle selections My Michael Seely

1.45 Bourbonien, 2.15 Ring Bidder, 2.50 Karadar, 3.30 Astara, 4.0 Musical
Love, 4.30 Majors Cast.

Newmarket

Draw no advantage. Tota: double 2.30, 3.35. Trable 2.0, 3.0, 4.05.

[Television (ITV) 1.30, 2.0 and 2.30 races] 130 HOLSTEIN DIAT PILS STAKES (3-y-o maidens: £3,258: 1m 2f) (24



7-4 Guns Of Navarona, & Good As Diamonda, 7 River Clay, & Quist Field, Zabesi, 18 kening Dawn, Arthur's Daughter, 12 Harvester Gold, 20 others. 2.0 CHE DWICK STUD STAKES (2-y-o filles: £4,474: 6f) (15) 3 Pebbles, 7-2 Salede, 4 Follow Me Follow, 6 Alghuzziylah, 10 Bryony Rose, tem, 12 Grysmeral, 26 others.

130 VAN GEEST STAKES (£11,599: 71) (12)

G Duffield 11 oms Go, 14 Thug. 11-4 Oriso, 7-2 Mosteldh, 5 The Fort, 6 Specials Place, 8 Hays, 12 Ali Syr

3 Persian Glory, 20 others.

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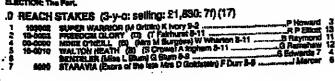
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900-003 TBME FOR A LAUGH (F Lee) R Hofsmathead B-9 S Perks

900-00 AMMER WINDSOR (G Burton) N Category B-5 G Starkey

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900-00 CAPRICORN SAIT (R Delton) C Sparse 8-8 B Crossley

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90 FULL, CIRCLE (N Helsop) J Bethell 8-5 WCEARN (ELLY (B Bebbegg) J Bethell 8-6 WCEARN (ELLY (B BENER) (B Tregoritha) J Trober 8-5 WCEARN (ELLY (B BENER) (B Tregoritha) J Trober 8-5 WCEARN (ELLY (B BENER) (B TREGORY (B BENER) (B BENER) (B TREGORY (B BE 3.35 LITTLEPORT HANDICAP (3-y-o: £3,189: 6f) (11) D10-000 PENTLAND JAVELIN (D) (S Hill) R Hollinshead 9-7 S Perks (2012) ARDROX LAD (D) (H. E. Shelith Hazza Bin Zayed Al Natisyeri) M Stanchard 9-1 R Cochrane 11223-0 AFRICAN TUDOR (B) (N Young) M Stoots 9-1
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301-342 MATOU (D) (Mrs T Pick) G Prichard-Gordon 8-4
00-010 ELMDON (D) (Mrs C Philipson) J Winter 7-8
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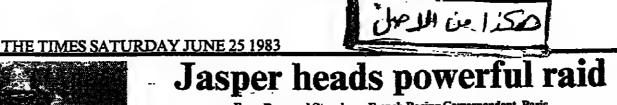
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	HAVERS ROAD (J. Hensywood) M Tompkins 9-0	
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	POLSEW (B Pollins) I Walter 9-0	P Coloubous
	RUNNING BULL (Mrs A Menning) B Hanbury 9-0	S Cauthon
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		EXHIBITOR (K Aboute) F Durt 3-8-4	
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•		BATSHEEDA (Mass K Rausing) M. Jarvis 3-8-1	Brown 5
•	0-23	GRIZABELLA (T Blackwell) B Hobbs 3-8-1	Scaly 5
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15	-B Numer	rood, 3 Grizabella, 6 Gildoran, 8 Fleming, 10 Saldawi, 12 Ta	pe, Cut'n Dry

Newmarket selections

By Michael Seely
1,30 Guns Of Navarone, 2.0 Sajeda, 2,30 Orixo, 3.0 Full Circle, 3,35 Matou. 4.05 Van Dyke Brown. 4.35 Nunsood.

By Our Newmarket Correspondent 1.30 Guns Of Navarone. 2.0 Follow Me Follow. 2.30 All Systems Go. 3.0 Amber Windsor, 3.35 Maninstar. 4.5 Van Dyke Brown, 4.35 Grizabella.



dominate tomorrow's 15-furloss Grand Prix de Pasis at Longchamp, where they account for five in the field of eight. My preference is for Lester Piggott's mount, Jasper, who may be followed home by Rogan, the Queen's Castle Rising and Homme de Paille. The Prix d'Ispahan abould go to the favourite

English-trained horses look set to iominate tomourow's 15-furloag Grand Prix de Pasis at Longchamp, where they account for five in the ield of eight. My preference is for lester Piggou's mount, Jasper, who nay be followed home by Rogan, he Queen's Castle Rising and Homme de Paille. The Prix 1/1spahan should go to the favourite L'Emigrant from Crystal Gliners and Drumalis. where the best of the French should be Homme de Paille.

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Jasper ran an excellent sixth to Cacleon in the French Derby, having previously picked up the Levin Down Maidea at Goodwood. Ian Balding's Brogan was third to Rutherford and Homme de Paille over tomorrow's course and distance in the Prix de l'Espérance. Last time out, Brogan won the

My selection for the Prix de la Porte Maillot is Rodwell, who will have most to fear from the Jersey Stakes winner, Tecorno and Lyphard's Princess. The Prix de Malleret should go to Alexandrie, who will be hoping to regain her reputation after her disappointing display in the Oaks, Finally, my choice for today's Prix Du Bois is. Kew Gardens to win from Masarik

GRAND PRIX DE PARIS (Group ! P-O: 241,171: 1m 7f)
-1 Castle Reing 8-11 V
37 Yava 8-11 A
41 Your Seymour 8-11 B
51 Brogan 8-11
-22 House De Palle 8-11 CA

Lingfield Park

Draw advantage: High numbers best Tote Double: 3.0, 4.0. Treble: 2.30, 3.30 4.30 2.0 ARKWRIGHT HANDICAP (Apprentices: £1,020:

7f) (26 runners) 7f) (28 runners)
101 2312 BOND DEALER (B) B Swift 6-9-10 ____S Whitworth 6
104 0-000 MERETOUS (D) TTaytor 8-94 ____A Revieworth 5
106 001-3 OPEN THE BOX (D) 69 G Baiding 4-9-1
108 000-0 MOSES SAMPSON (C,D) TTaytor 5-9-0 S GBROUF 5 13
107 00-00 CHEUNG SING Pat Mitchell 4-9-10 ____S Mechan 5 1 sort of a challenge in the straight, emerged from the Epsom race with an enhanced reputation
Shareef Dancer, who won the King Edward VII Stakes at Royal Ascot, will, on the other hand, like Caerleon be well suited by today's going. It is questionable though if he is up to this task.
Wassl, who won the Irish 2000 Guineas but ran badly behind Teenoso, has the potential to provide a surprize while another good outsider may be Parliament. It promises a most attractive

It promises a most attractive contest but the combination of Caerieon and Pat Eddery could prove too good for the Teenoso-Lester Piggott team. Bond Dealer, 4 Open The Box, 11-2 Dencer's Emulation, 7 2.30 FOLLOW THE BEAR STAKES (Maidens: £1,618: 2m) (22) £1,618: 2m) (22)

BORDER SIGNAL A Pit 48-8

2 Azara, 11-4 Hal's Joy, 9-2 Inspired, 7 Une Of Resson, 10 Captain e, 12 Nestor Man, 16 others, 3.0 JOHN ROGERSON HANDICAP (£3,106: 5f) (9)

£2,248: 1m 2f) (15)

3.30 BROOKE BOND CUP STAKES (Amateurs: 401 19/04 ALEOS (D) J Old 6-11-10 EWhethism 405 13-00 BALLYNENOCH J Old 4-11-7 Shuttins 5 409 0/03- CALENHAWK M Ryan 7-11-7 Lydia Pearce 410 00-00 HIPPARKON S Meltor 11-11-7 Dana Meltor 5 411 9-000 (CE (D) G Thorner 5-11-7 Serah Wickins 7 412 1100 NOT SO DEAR A Davison 4-11-7 Serah Wickins 7 415 -3001 PRINCE REVIEWER A W Jones 6-11-7 Disns Jones

TIAN HANDICAP (3-y-0: £1,994; 1ff27) (13)

ORMOUS (2) R Smyth 6-9 SWillworth 7

ENEYAR DAN (3) M Tompldres 9-2 R Carter 7

WILDHORN H Candy 9-2 W News
NASKARA (3) C Bensteed 9-1 B Rouse

SWIAJ P Heating 8-13 G Section

ARRAB R Smyth 6-10 R McCshi

MAURIALX Par Microel 8-8 B Jago

SOUTHERNAR P Haynes 8-8 J William

GENNARD J Durico 8-6 N Dave 5

SIR HARPISEY (5) B Swift 6-3 R Fox

THAY'S BOCKEDSRLE Par Microel 7-10 W Woods 7

SAM'S TICKLE (D) H Bensley 7-7 R HIJ 3

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A CRIRACY G Beiding 8-11;

A LITTLE MORE R Smyth 8-11

B SALLARD ROCKET R Baker 8

9 BALMENOCH D Hembey 8-11;

DONNA SIRENA D Leting 8-11

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3.30 Lord Protector. 4.0 Enbyar Dam. 4.30 Miss Mint.
5.0 Numismatist.

3.45 SWANSEA DOCKERS CLUB HANDICAP (3-y-o: £1,777: 6f) (6)

4.15 QUARRY BANK LABOUR CLUB STAKES (3-y-o:

13-8 H. Easter, 5-2 Frantonios, 7-2 Noster Puer, 8 Captain Weester 10 Little Boy, 15 Unicheq Lad.

.45 PLYMSTOCK CLUB STAKES (Div 1 3-y-o:

9-4 Famy's Choice, 100-30 Avon Express, 5 Hip Hip, 6 Fort Lauderdale, 8 Troubador, 10 Porto Irene, 12 Son Of Raja, 14 others.

5.15 PLAYSTOCK CLUB STAKES (Div II: £1,520: 5f)

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By Michael Seely 6.45 Amila. 7.15 Socher. 7.45 Bean Boy, 8.15 Valerio. 8.45 Firstead Belle. 9.15 Fleet Bay.

Victory '83 makes most of wind conditions

AMERICA'S CUP

Newport. Rhode Island (Reuter)

Victory 83, the British challenger
for the America's Cup yachting
trophy, staged a dramatic comeback
in the trials to decide who will
challenge the United States for the big prize, as Australia's leading contender recorded its seventh straight triumph, in the best conditions witnessed since the trials started last week, with good winds

prevalent on Rhode Island Sound.
Overshadowed by the Australian contingent so far. Victory 83 came back with two wins, first defeating Canada by a convincing margin of two minutes and 30 seconds. In the second race it had a tougher contest against Challenge 12, one of the three yachts from Australia taking part in the trials, winning by only 41

mile courses.

The British yacht has now won four races and lost three in the trials, in which seven yachts from five countries are competing. Australia II. as yet umbeaten, defeated France III by one minute and 35 seconds and then had a sui-over when Canada I ripped its mainsail and had to drop out on the

first leg of their race.

But the Australians could be deprived of the first of these victories as a result of a protest by the crew of France III, who claimed that the Australians had failed to give them the right of way as required by the rules just before the start. The results of the protest hearing are expected soon,

In the separate trials to decide who will defend the cup for the United States, Dennis Couner had his best day so far, winning three of four races against Tom Blackaller, his biggest rival.

Liberty, Conner's new boat, won the Service or more against who

the first two races against the Blackaller contender by one minute and 17 seconds and one minute and and 17 seconds and one minute and 16 seconds over 11-mile courses. Liberty won the third race when Blackaller was disqualified The trials, consisting of five series of races, will continue throughout the summer. At the end of the third series, the three boats with the lowest total scores will be climinated and the other four will advance to the round robin semi final series.
CHALLENGERS GROUP POSITION 1,
Australa II, 7 wins 0 defeats, 2, Chelenge 15,
522; 3, Victory 83 (43); 4, Azzura (34); 5,
Canada I (3,4); 8, France IB (2,5); 7, Advance of m

UNITED STATES POSITION: 1, Couraged (4.2); 2, Liberty (4.4); 3, Defender (4,6). MOTOR RACING

Just what the doctor ordered

By Brendan Lynch

Some of the drivers in today's European Formula Two Champion-ship race at Donington Park will undoubtedly return in 1988 when the historic Derbyshire circuit peat stages the British Grand Prix. Favourities for today's event - and for grand prix stardom - are the championship leader. Beppe Gabbiani, Britain's Jonathan Palmer, New Zealand's Mike Thackwell, Argentina's Quique Mansilla and East Germany's Stefan Bellof. Palmer finished third in the last

ound in Spain and consolidated his strong second place in the series. Having tested recently for the williams grand prix learn at Donington, he stands a good chance of success. Palmer, who qualified as a doctor in 1981, said. "I know and like December 2015" like Domington very much and I think my Rait is ideally suited to its wift swoops and swerves.

His biggest rival may be his teammate. Thackwell, who won in Spain. Both may be upstaged by the experienced Derek Daly, who is eager to prove he deserves a grand prix place. The Irishman has won at Donington in saloon and Formula Three events and he also took the 1979 Formula Two Championship

race.
The 137-mile Formula Two race starts at 3.25. Supporting events include the only British round of the European Renault 5 Turbo Elf Championship. This features Britain's Derek Bell, fresh from his second place in last weekend's Le Mans 24-hour race, and Martin Brundle, who won the last European Formula Three Championship event.

vent. The two-day Donington programme also includes races for historic cars involving such evocative marques as Bugatti, Cooper-Bristol, ERA, Alfa Romeo, Maserate, Connaught and Talbot Lago.

IN BRIEF

Squire has trial at No 8

In the British Lions' experimental team for the match against North Auckland today, Jeff Squire, the Welsh flanker plays at No 8 for the first time on this tour. If Iain Paxton does not recover from his knee injury, Squire may well continue in the position in the third inter-national against New Zealand at

SHOW JUMPING: As a result of a big cut in the annual grant from the Irish Horse Board, Irish show jumpers may not be able to compete either in England or on the Continent for the rest of this season and could even miss next year's Olympic Games. The National Equestrian Federation meets on Monday to discuss the situation. NETBALL: Australia are the new

world champions. In a thrilling game of contrasting styles they overcame New Zealand 47-42 in the final of the sixth world tournament in Singapore yesterday. England came fourth after losing

an earlier game agisnt the exciting Trinidad and Tobago side, 43-40. Scotland beat Northern Ireland 45-31 to finish sixth; Northern Ireland wee seventh. Wales finished eighth after losing to Jamaica 67-29, FENCING: Katie Arup, aged 20, who captained the British women's team in last Easter's world youth championships, is promoted to the Great Britain team for the world fencing championships in Vienna from July 20-30.

TEAM: Women's folt: L Y Hurley, L Martin, K Arup, F McIntoch; Men's folt: W Gosbee, R Bruniges, P Harper, N Bell, G Paul: Men's épèr: M Mellett, J LiweByn, S Paul, S Levington, G Liston; Men's seher R Cohen, J Zerno, J Philton, M Slade, P Klemerman.

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DEATHS

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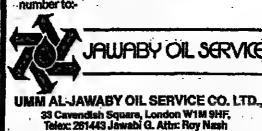
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Television and radio programmes

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Sunday

Tv-am 6.25 Good Morning Bullein: includes neves at 6.27, 7.08, 8.08 and 8.30; Sport just after

6.25 Open University (until 8.55) Madonna of San Blaglo; 5.50 History of Maths; 7.15 Liverpool Law Centre: 7.40 7.00; gardening and what-to-do and where-to-go-guide at 7.15; Guest celebray at 8.97; Aerobics at 8.32. Studying Children; 8.05 Politics and drama. 8.55 Twin Husbands: old Leon Errol comedy"; 9.15 Get Set: 8.40 Data Run: for the youngstars with guest band Heaven 17. Results of the Decign an Ice Plus results of the Write a Cream Lolly competition. With Roland Rat and Thompson

Lyric competition; and Mark Curry v Virginia Wade; 10.37 10.45 Cricket: Final of the Prudential World Cup, from Lord's. Further live coverage at 1.40. Also on BBC 2 at 1.55 and at

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10,00 pm (highlights). 1.00 Tennic Quarter-finels of the Ladies' and Men's Singles at Wimbledon, Further coverage and 1.55 and 3.15. Then on 6BC2 at 1.55 and 10.0

-1- 560 VQ 1.10 Recing Focus: An appetize for the Sweeps Derby (see 2.55 entry); 1.10 Sports z.ss Gray; 1.10 Cricket; 1.55 Tennis; 2.55 Racing from the Curragh – the Sweeps Derby; 3.15 Tennis. Sec. 22 124

5.20 Mickey and Donald. Walt Disney cartoons. 5.45 News With Moire Stuart, 11. 5.55 Sports round-up.

6.00 Blake's Seven; Episode four (of 13) finds Avon and the others planning to rescue Doctor Plaxton (Berbara Shelley) from the Space Fizis

cretaries 5.30 Pop Oniz: Gary Glitter, Bruce Foxton and Dig Wayne versus Kim Wilde, Francis Rossi and Jeffrey Daniels, Mike Read is the question master,

7.20 Film: The Magnificent Seven Ride! (1972) For the third time Mexican bendits terrorise a village. Les Van Claef takes mere shadow of the original Magnificent Seven. Director: George McCowan.

9,00 The Val Doonican Show: The singer's guests tonight are Eleine Paige, Al Jarreau, Ray Charles and The Singers.

9.45 Naws; and sports roundub. 10.00 The Consultant: Episode three serial about a compute specialist (Hywel Bennett) and his plan to separate a big bank from a lot of its cash. Tonight, he is determined to discov the identity of the benefactor robbing the same bank. Costarring Pamela Salem.

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10.50 Night Music: First in a new series featuring international artistes. Tonight: the American singer Jack Jones. His guest is the Jazz harpist Annabel

11.30 Film: Up the Front (1972) First World War comedy w cowardly soldier with a taitoo who becomes a target for white becomes a larger for Mate Hari (Zsa Zee Gebor). Also starring Bill Fraser, Larios Percival, Stanley Holloway and Madeline Smith Director: Bob

ITV/LONDON 9.25 LWT information: What's on in the London area; 9.30 Seca Street: with The Muppets; 10.30 No 73: Show for

12.15 World of Sport. The line-up is: - 12.20 Motor Racing (Trimoco Britain Saloon Car Championship, from Donington); 1.00 Athletics (US Outdoor Championships, from Indianapolis). In action: Carl Lawis, Evelyn Astriord, Edwin Moses; 1.15 News.

.26 The ITV Seven From Newmarket, the 1.30, 2.00; From Newcastle, the 1.45 and 2.15 and 2.50. And, at 3.05 – 2.16 and 2.50. And, at 3.05 the Irish Sweeps Derby, at The
Curragh; 3.20 Motor Racing
(European Formula Two
Championships, from
Donington); 3.40 News roundup; 3.50 Athletics (US Outdoor
Championships Continued) Champlonships, continued); 4.10 Motor Racing (back to Doinington); 4.40 Motor Cycling (Dutch 500cc TT, from Assen); 4.55 Results.

5.06 News; 5.15 The Sinerie; 5.30 Happy Days: Joanie looks back on a romantic summer 1962, With Henry Winkler.

6.00 The Fall Guy: Murder at an amusement ardade - and the frightened sys-witness to the

7.00 Just Amazing: Courageous (or foolish) feats, on the ground and up in the air, includes a man who breaks paving stones with his head.

7.45 Chas & Dave's Knees-Up; Pub entertainment. The guests are R & B artist Clarence 'Frogman' Henry; singer Rose-Mane; and comedian Jimmy

8.35 TJ Hooken A jogger is raped on the school track. 9.30 News. 9.45 Tales of the Unexpected: The

Tributo. A surprise at a lunch nanny. With Anne Neagle, Eleanor Bron, Shelig Burnell and Phylis Caivert.

19.15 London News, Followed by: Film: Dracule (1979) Stylish and not too frightening film version of the Brain Stoker childer, starring Frank Langel as the count and Laurence Oliver as the vampire builter Van Heleing. Also starring Donald Pleasence, Kate Veligen and Trevor Eye. Directed, with many a spectacular flourish, by John

Badham. 12.15 Close: Sian Phillips reads a



Bernard Levin and Laurens van der Post

BBC 2

6.25 Open University (until 1.55) Beginning with Computing: fitting curves. Ending with (at 1.30) Computing at Scottish

1.55 World Cup Cricket and Wimbledon 83: Live coverage of the final stages of the World Cup Final at Lord's. And action in the slitth day's play at Wimbledon - the quarter fina of the Men's and Ladles Singles (see also BBC1.)
Further cricket and tennis in Sports Special on BBC2 tonight at 10.00.

News. And sports round-up. 8.00 The Levin Interviews: Sement Levin talks to the South African born writer Lauren van der Post of whom Mr Levin says: "He is one of those rare spirits who hear the secret prosaically, he is the author of 20 novels and autobiographical works and wrote some fine television documentaries such as The Lost World of the Kalahari

series and The Story of Jung. 8.30 Inquiry: Will Britain Work Again? Full-scale inquiry, chaired by David Dimbleby into the prospects for more than three million jobless, it Includes a filmed report by Andrew Neil, United Kingdom editor of The Economist, He is editor-designate of The Sunday Times, Others taking pert include industria workers - and some of the

vast army of the unemployed. They will be involved in a studio discussion with other experts such as Walter Goldsmith, head of the Institute of Directors Clive Sinclair, inventor of the pocket calculator and Gavin Laird general secretary of the ngineering workers union. 10.00 Sports Special: Highlights of today's Wimbledon semi-linals

and of the final of the Prudential World Cup. 11.40 News: and weather. 11.45 Film international: The Farewell (1982) Finnish-Swedish drame, with English sub-titles, about a woman's attempts to break away from the dominating figure of her childhood-her father. Starring Pirido Nurmi as the daughter and Carl-Axel Heiknert as the father. Directed by a woman Tulja-Maija Niskanen. Ends at CHANNEL 4

2.15 As Good as New: Restoring old furniture and household artitacts. With Mike Smith, who elso visits an auctioneer's (r). 2.45 Film: The Browning Version (1951"): Sad tale of a dry-asdust schoolmaster (Michael Redgrave) and his unfaithful wife (Jean Kent). Based on the Rattigen play. Co-starring Nigel Patrick.

4.25 Hotsy Footsy: Mr Magoo 4.35 On Your Bikes: The cyclists'

magazine. A visit to the Raleigh works. Plus cycling in 5.05 Brookside: two receated episodes (r)...

6.00 Square Pegs: American high school comedy series. A prankster steals some other oranksters' thunder. News headlines, Followed by:- 7 Days; moral and ethical

issues are analysed by Michael Chariton and his team. 7.90 A Week in Politics: David Steel on the SDP/Liberal

Alliance. 7,45 Makers; Memories of the critic Peter Fuller explores the legacy of the great Victorian visionary in Michael Dibb's film which includes encounters with contamporary artists and writers who have been inspired by Morris's ideas. onathan Pryce reads from Morris works.

8.45 World of Animation Cartoon 9.00 Confessions of Felix Kruli:

Conflicence Man. Final part of this adaptation (with dubbed English dialogue) of the Thomas Mann novel. Felix continues his European trave in the cuise of a nobleman. Starring John Moulder-Brown, Another Bouquet: Episode 4 (of 7). Manson (Frank Finlay) decides to sue Cassie (Shella

Alien) for divorce (r). 11.00 At Last - it's Mike Effott: The comedian has fun with sex problems, and explains the origins of the sex war.

11.30 The Naked City: The Fingers of Henri Tourelle. Luther Adler stars as the businessman rho, knowing he has not long to live, destroys the lives of his associates. It is another case for Ada Flint and the rest of the police group that feature weekly in this American-made TV drama series. There is a guest appearance tonight by Nina Foch, Ends at 12.2

BBC

6.25 Open University: Hardy and Wessex; 6.58 Delradian of Banffshire; 7.15 Maths: 7.49 Rook Polynomials; 8.05 Polymorphism in Snails; 8.30 there of Chemistry.

9.00 Pigeon Street: for the very young: 9.15 Knock Knock: Singer Christopher Litticrap visits Northumberland and lauds St Cuthbert, 9,30 This is the Day: with Tony Phelan, a lecturer at the University of Warwick.

16.60 Asian Magazine: Deborah Moggach take about her book Hot Water Man; 10.35 The Salcon Factor; 11.00 The national Success: enant Natassa. Greek film about the partisans' campaign against the Nazis. Starring Aliki Vouyouklaki. Parties 1.25 The Past Affect. Ports and harbours; 1.50

1.55 Film: Cromwell (1970) Weighty, worthy, dullish drama about the Civil War adversaries. Co-starring Richard Harris (as Crome and Alec Guiness as Charles 1. With Robert Morley, Dorothy Tutin, Director, Ken

4.10 Bags Burny: cartoons; 4.20
Allan Smith and Jones: light-hearted western; 5.10 King's Country: South of England wildlife film, by Simon King (r); 5.40 News; 5.50 Hawforoon; Drama serial about Twm Shon Cati, the Weish Robin Hood (r). 6.40 Home on Sunday: Hymn write Sydney Carter chooses his

favourite hymns. They are sung by boys from his old school, Christ's Hospital, 7.15 King's Royat: Drama serial about a whisky-distilling plynasty. Robert (Eric Deacon) leaves King and Company to work for Calderwood.

8.05 Yes Minister: Exallent Whitehall comedy, with Jim Hacker (Paul Eddington) leading a delegation to the Persian Gulf (r).

8.35 The Hot Shoe Show; Alldencing show, with Weyne Sleep. 9.05 News.

9.20 That's Life: with Eather Runtzen and Co. Last programme in the present series. After the recent Anna Ford incident, people in the street are asked: Are women more violent than men?

10.05 Everymen: A Passage to England. The celebrated Anglo-Indian writer Nirad Chaudhuri, now 85 who has lived in Oxford for the past 10 years, explains why he feels that harm is coming to England. He blames the nation's loss of faith, in religion and morality.

19.45 Fred: More about the spectacular chimney-toppler Fred Dibnah who tonight demonstrates his flying buckets (r).

11.15 Inside Women's Magazines How the magazine Options was launched. And how it fared (r).

11.40 Sergeant Bilko: Phil Silvers up

Radio 4

6.30 News. 6.32 Morning Has Broken. 6.55 Weather; Travel; Programm

5.25 Shipping Forecast.

item about hermit crabs.

Presented by Henry Kelly Includes news at 8.15 and 9.00; Sport at 8.15; Sunday newspapers review at 8.30; the Henry Kelly discussion at 8.45 and 9.03; Closedown at

where to go, in the London area; 9.30 Parents and United Reformed Church, in Moracambe.

11.00 Link: Books for di children; 11.30 God's Story: Samuel and Saul. With Paul Copley (r); 11.45 Cartoons.

prize-winning sports
photographer Earnon McCabe;
2.15 London news. Followed
by; — The British Chellange for
the America's Cup: Special
report from Newport, Rhode nd, about the Britis challenge with the boat called Victory '83; 2.45 Shine on Harvey Moon: Comedy drama series, set in post-war London, With Kenneth

4.30 The Fugitive: Why police keep a sharp eye on an embezzler : wife. Charles Bronson is a

kidnepping. 6.00 The Pope in Poland: reports 6.30 News from ITN.

6.48 The National School Choir Sussex, Staffs, and Devon

7.45 The Prince and Princess of Water in Conside: Another of Anthony Certhew's reports for

(Susannah York) tells Kiley (Michael J Shannon) that she cannot see him again (r); 9.15

parents who decide to educate their own children; a court action follows. With Graham Crowden, Derrick O'Connor and Rynagh O'Grady.

Trapper John: Hospital comedy spawned by M'A'S'H', starring Pernell Roberts; 11.50 Closedows,

TV-am

7.15 Rob a Dub Tub for the sightyear olds and under. Stories, flute music, carbons, and an 8.15 Good Morning Britain:

ITV/LONDON

12.00 American Documentary: The Third Coast. How traditional Texan life has been radically affected by the growth and prosperity of Houston. An award winning film.

1.45 Me and My Camera: with

Cranhani (r). 3.15 Film: Man from Tangler (1957*) British-made drama about passport forgers'

from Jon Snow and Tim Ewart

Competition: Fourth quarter-finel: choirs from Yorkshire, 7.15 Only When I Laugh: Hospital ward comedy series. (r).

8.15 We'll Meet Again: Helen

9.30 Flying into the Wind: David Leland's drama is about

10.50 London news. Followed by:

9.25 LWT information: what to do, Teenagers: today - parent power (r): 16.00 Merning Worship: from Christ Church

1.00 University Challenge; 1.30 Police 5: with Shaw Taylor;

amour pession to gas attempts to retrieve some illegal engraving plates. With Robert Hutton, Martin Benson, Lisa Gastoni.

guest star; 5.30 Andy Robson Children – and a possible

Harry Langdon and Al Jolson: Haffelujah, I'm a Burn (Channel 4; 2.25 pm)

BBC 2 6.25 Open University (until 1.55). Begins with Desert Ecology. And ends with Maths: Applying

Matrices (starts at 1.30). 1.55 Sunday Grandstand: An alternoon for sports lovers. Beginning at 2.00 with Cricket: The John Players League. Live coverage of one of the day's limited-over matches. Commentary by Chris Martin-Jenkins and Peter Walker; 2.40 International Athletics: Termec Edinburgh Games: from Mesdowbank, Steve Ovett, Alian Wells and St Cram are all expected to take part. N.B. These times are for

the first transmission only. There will be others during the 6.50 News Review: highlights of the week. With Richard Whitmore MING BUID HIDES.

7.15 The World About Us: Flemingo Triangle – A Week In the Rhöne Delta. A film about the rich variety of birding in the 330 square miles of wetland wilderness that form the Carmargue regional nauture park in the south of France. The lewels include the pink flamingo, the rainbowcoloured bee-eater: the elegant egret. Naturalists Tony Soper and Roger Lovegrove were even allowed into the special restricted area: 8.05 News: with Richard Whitmore.

8.15 The Shock of the New: Penultimate film in Robert Hughes's series about moden t. Includes Interviews with Andy Warhol and Roy performance of a commercial signed by Pop Art ploneer Richard Hamilton (r).

9.15 Humph at 35. . . but looking older! A salute to jazz band leader Humphrey Lytteiton's three and a half decades in show business. With Wally Fawkes and Kathy Stobart Recorded at a special celebratory concert. 10.05 To Serve Them All My Days Penultimate episode of the FI F Deiderfield school story.

Starring John Duttine and Aler 10.55 Film: A Streetcar Named Desire (1951) Elia Kazan's repectful film of the Tennesse Williams stace play, stars Marion Brando as the elemental Stanley Kowalski and Vivien Leigh as his much bused sister-In-law. Costarring Kim Hunter and Kart Malden. Ends at 1.00am

CHANNEL 4

2.00 trish Angle: Informed opinion from north and south of the

border. 2.25 Film: Hattelugeh, I'm a Burn (1933") Drama, with songs (by Rodgers and Hert) about a tramp (Al Joison) who falls in love with the girl he saves from suicide (Madge Evans). It's the setting - the era of the American Depression - that hetps give the movie its powerfully pathetic quality, Director: Lewis Milestone.

3.55 Right to Reply: viewers' verdicts on Channel 4. 4.25 Master Bridge: Tenth round of the international tournament in

which Omer Sharif and Rixi Markus are two of the players. 4.45 News,

5.00 Union World: For, about, and with trade unionists.
Presented by Gus Macdonald.

5.30 Face the Press: Eric Heffer is interviewe 6.00 Look Forward: Channel 4 railers.

6.15 Intermedional Athletics: US versus East Germany, From the Los Angeles Coliseum.
Carl Lewis is among the US competitors, and Maries Goehr among the Germans. 7.10 Music in Time: Eleventh film in this 16-part history of western music. Tonight: the music of Berlioz, Liszt, Verdi and

Wagner, Includes Bernst conducting extracts from the Berlioz Requiem. 8.15 Tell the Truth: Spot-theimposter game, played by Beverley Anderson, Peter

Cook, Willy Rushton and Victoria Wood. 8.45 Wood and Waiters. Fun and music show, with Victoria Wood and Julia Walters (r).

9.15 Brideshead Revisited: The final instalment of John Mortimer's adaptation of Waugh, includes the death of Lord Marchmain (Laurence Olivier), Bridey's attempts to reconcile the old man to the church, and Julia's and

Charles's last meeting. (r).

10.55 The Case for Deterrance: Nuclear arms forum in which General Bernard Rogers, Nato Supreme Commander Europe, is questioned by a team of journalists including Jonathan Dimbleby, Observer editor Donald Trelford (in the chair) and Withelm Bittorf of

Radio 1

6.00am Pat Sharp. 8.00 Torry Blackburn's Sunday Show. 10.00 The Lenny Henry Sunday Hooti 12.00 Jammy Savile's Old Record Cub. 2.00 David Jensen. 4.00 My Top 12. Actress and comedienne Julie Watters. 5.00 Top 40 with Tommy Vancet. 7.00 Anna Nightingalor. 9.00 Alexis Korner (new series). 10.00 Sounds of Jazzt. 12.00

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Radio 4 6.25 Shipping Forecast.
6.30 News.
6.32 Farming Today.
6.56 In Perspective. Religious affairs.
6.55 Weather: Travel;

Programma News.
7.00 News. 7.10 Today's Papers.
7.15 On Your Farm.
7.45 in Perspective. 7.50 h's a Bargein, 7.55 Weather, Travel: Programme News. 8.00 News, 8.10 Today's Papers. 8.15 Sport on 4.

Yesterday in Parliament. 8.57 Weather, Travel. 9.00 Navrs. 9.05 Breakaway, Holidays, travel and 9.50 News Stand. Floriew of weekly magazines. 0.05 The Week in Westminster. 9.30 Daily Service.1 8.45 Pick of the Week Programme

highlights.†
1.55 From Our Own Correspondent.
BBC correspondents talk about the countries they work in. 200 News. 202 Money Box. Advice on matter

227 The News Cutz.† 12.55 Westher Programme News. 1.10 Any Questions? 1.55 Shipping News. Thirty-minuted theatre

Metamorphosid Arkwinght' by John Turner. Captain of a darts (atm turns into a cockroach.) 135 Discursive Excursions.

Christopher Matthew task to courier Peter Michel.
.55 Wildite, Listeners' questions.
.50 Groundswell, Environmental lesses

.00 News. .02 Interntional Assignment. BBC correspondents on a contemporary leave.

30 Does he take sugar? Magazine for disabled listeners. for disabled listeners. When tanguage breaks down. Third of four talks by David

Crystel. 25 Week ending A satirical review.?

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ondon except: 9.25em Morning y. 9.30 Lone Ranger, 10.06-10.30 ti Mickey, 5.15pm-7.00 Film: Soldi Wune, Clark Gebie, Susen

6.50 Shipping Forecast. 6.55 Weather, Travel, Programane

News: Sports Round-up. Desert leland discs Peter Maxwell Davies, the composer. 7.20 Stop the week with Robert Robinson (s): 8.00 Richard Baker with music on record.†

10.00 News. 10.15 You the Jury. The motion 11.00 Lighten our Derkness.
11.15 Stop the Week with Robert Robinson.?

7.55 Weather
8.00 Nave
8.05 Aubade Cazzati, Monteverdi
(Recognition scene: The return
of Ulyases), Guillo Contacheria,
Respigni, Verdi (Overture; La
lorza del destine) recordst

BISC Head of Engineering, Radio Networks†
10.36 Storao Release New Records: Falle, Feare.†
11.15 BISC Philhermonic Orchestra Orchestra in Bulgaria Concert recorded on 14th June in Sofie. Part 1: Schubert. (Symphony No 8) and Walton (Partita for Orchestra†
12.06 Interval Reading 12.07 Part 2: Besthovan. (Symphony No 7) No 7)

Saturday-night theatra 'Jackie' by John Hall. Strange goings-on in a Somerset village.

Radio 3

News Record Reviewtincludes

1.00 News
1.05 A Minstrel's Way 'Lovers and Warriors', (Martin Best Medieval Ensemble): Eighth of 16 programmes. Denish Ruce recording lincluding the 3rd

12.00 Nows:

interview with George Legg. BBC Head of Engineering, Radio

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Radio 2

4.99 The Cortot Lagacy. Records by the great plantst Alfred Cortot: Liszt, Saint-Seens, Schuaren. 5.00 Jazz Record Requests. 1 5.45. Child's Fount, With Paul Balley Marghanita Laskl, Clacy-Sigal, Manna Warner.

Manna Warner.
1.36 The Organ in the Grand Stecle
(a) 17th-century French music
recorded in Leonhardtskirche,
Bese. 1
7.15 Six from South Kensington by
Colin Kraussen, Sowie,
Messiaen. 1
8.08 Los Angeles Philharminic
Orchestra (a) Concert recorded
in Los Angeles teat October.
Part 1: Webern, Berg. (violin
cancerto).

cancerto). 8.40 Interval Reading. 8.50 Part 2: Bruckner (Symphony No. 9).

1.55 Interpretations on Record
Bartok's 2nd Quartot.
16.45 The English Macrigal William
Byrd Experimenton (19) Psalmas,
19,11 2 and contents (18) 11 1 songs and somets (18 11), †

Maye as virt above except:
10.30ea-7.30ea Cricket. 1.10
World Cup 83: review of
tightights 1.30 Lunchtime
County scores. VHF only - Open
University: 6.55 to 7.55, and
11.20pm to 12.00.

News Headfine: 5.30, 6.30, 7.30; Butletins on the hour unit 1.00, then from 6.00 (axcept 9.00) (mf/mw). 5.00 Tony Brandon; 18.05 David Jacobs. 1 10.00 Sounds of the 60s.; 11.00 Album Time 12.30 Hamburger Weekend (award-wirner); including 1.00 Know Your Place, 1.30 Wimbledon 83: Your Place. 1.30 Wimbledon 83:
Covarage of the day's play at
Wimbledon. Plus Racing: commentary
on the 2.55 Northumberland Plate from
Newcastle, and news of Cricket, Irish
Sweeps Darby, Rugby Union (New
Zeatend), Glasgow Classic Golf, Dutch
Motor-cycling Grand Prib: Football
results at 5.45, 7.09 Three in a Row.
Touring General Knowledge, 7.30 BSC
International Festival of Light Music
"Music from the Movies" direct from the

News on the half bour until 12.30pm, 2.30, 3.00, 5.30, 7.30,m 8.30, 10.00 and 12.00 midnight (mf/mw). 6.00 Wake up to the Weekend with Adrian John. 8.00

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Correspondent, 3.39 My Music, 4.45 Fine News, 4.55 Reflections, 5.00 World News, Review of Eritish Press, 5.15 Letterbox.

Royal Festival, including † 8.30-8.50 interval, 10.00 Saturday Readezyous † 11.02 Sports Desk. 11.10 Peta Murray a Late Show? 2.00-5.00 Bill Reposalts represents You and the Ministration Hennells presents You and the Night and the Music.†

Radio 1

to the Weekend with Adrian John. 8.00 Tony Blackburn's Saturday Show. 10.00 Dave Lee Travis. 1.00 Gutar Greats: Carlos Santana.† 2.00 A King in New York with Jonathan King.† 2.05. Paul Gambaccini.† 4.00 Seturday Live.† 8.30 in Concert teaturing Spandau Ballet at Sadier's Wells † 7.30 Janice Long., † 0.00 Gary Davies. 12.00 midnight Close. VIIF Radios 1 and 2 5.00 With Radio 2. 1.00 With Radio 1. 7.30-5.00 With Radio 2.

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6.00mm Newsciesk. 8.30 Abum Time. 7.00 World News. 7.36 News About Britain. 7.15 From the Weekles. 7.36 Cassical Record Review. 7.45 Network UK. 8.00 World News. 8.09 Review of British 1983. 8.00 World News. 8.09 Review of British Press. 8.15 The Changan. 8.39 Saph of British Press. 8.15 The World Today. 8.30 Financial News. 9.40 Look Ahead. 9.45 People and Politics. 10.15 Wimbledon Report. 11.00 World News. 1.10.15 News About British. 11.15 About British. 11.30 Newsciden. 12.59 Radio Newsreel. 12.15 Anything Gose. 12.45 Sports Roundup, 1.00 World News. 1.09 Commentary. 1.15 Network UK. 1.30 The Alternative Proma. 2.00 Saturday Special. 3.00 World News. 8.00 World News. 8.00 World News. 8.00 World News. 1.00 Financial. 11.05 New Ideas. 10.00 World News. 1.00 Financial. 11.05 New Ideas. 10.40 Redictions. 10.45 Sports Roundup. 11.00 World News. 11.08 Commentary. 1.15 Letterbox. 11.08 World News. 11.08 Commentary. 11.15 Letterbox. 11.08 Nexiclen. 12.00 World News. 2.00 Review of British Press. 2.00 World News. 2.00 Review of British Press. 2.15 Chelshow Stories. 2.20 Sports Review. 3.00 World News. 2.00 Review of British Press. 2.15 Chelshow Stories. 2.20 Sports Review. 3.00 World News. 2.00 News about British. 3.15 From Our Own Corresponders. 3.30 My Ness. 4.45 Frenches. 3.00 World News. 2.00 News about British. 3.15 From Our Own Corresponders. 3.30 My Ness. 4.45 Frenches. 3.00 World News. 2.00 News about British. 3.15 From Our Own Corresponders. 3.30 My Ness. 4.45 Frenches. 3.00 World News. 3.00 News about British. 3.15 From Our Own Corresponders. 3.30 My Ness. 4.45 Frenches. 3.00 World News. 3.00 News about British. 3.15 From Our Own Corresponders. 3.30 My Ness. 4.45 Frenches. 3.00 World News. 3.00 News about British. 3.15 From Our Own Corresponders. 3.30 My Ness. 4.45 Frenches. 3.00 World News. 3.00 News about British. 3.15 From Our Own Corresponders. 3.30 My Ness. 4.45 Frenches. 3.00 World News. 3.00 News about British. 3.15 From Our Own Corresponders. 3.30 My Ness. 4.45 Frenches. 3.00 World Ne

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Star Command, 11.17 God's Story.

11.30 Parent and Teenagors, 12.001.00pas Survival Special, 1.30 Farming Outlook, 2.90 Little House on the Priaria.

3.00 Film: My Cousin Rachel' (Olivia de Haviliand) Daphne du Maurier melodrama. 5.80-5.30 Prince and Princess of Wates in Cameda. 7.45 Magmum. 8.45-9.15 Tales of the Unexpected. 11.00 Nine to Free. 11.30 New Avengers. 12.30am Longbenton High School Choir Sing. 12.35 Closedown. **GRANADA** As London except: 9.25em Mountain Habitat: 9.35 God's Story. 9.50 Cartoon 10.05-16.36 Vicky the Viking. 5.05pm-7.00 Farm, solder of Fortune: As Tyres Tees, 9.45 Drawis. As London 10.15. 11.45 Lon Grant: 12.40am U2 in Concert. 1.25 Closedown.

The Fugitive. 11.45 Brady Burch.
12.12pm-12.15 News. 5.17-7.00 Film:
Escape Of The Birdmen. Ja Central.
8.45 Film: Dracula. As London 10.15.
11.45 Great Fights of the Severgies.
12.45em Postscript. 12.51 Closedown.

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9.49 Wonderful World of Professor
Kitzel, 9.45 Larry the Lamb, 19.00 Honey
Halfwitch, 10.05-10.30 Vicky the Viking.
5.15pm-7.00 Firm: Escape of the
Birdman. Doug McClure. PoWs plan on
unlikely way out. 9.45 Film: Dracula. As
London 10.15, 11.46 That's Hollywood.
12.15am Circadown.

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As London except: Starts 9.30am Freeze Frame, 10.28 Star Fleet, 10.55

SCOTTISH

As London except: 9.25am-9.30
Cartoon, 11.45 P.O. Box 13, 12.001.00pm Spirit of the Melcolm Miller. 1.30
Farm Focus, 2.00 Fibrr Five Fingers
(James Meson) Ambessador's valet
steals Allied secrets, 4.00 Levicas Men.
4.55 News, 5.00-5.30 Prince and
Extenses of Wester to Capada, 2, 15,8,15 nuo vews. p.un-p.gu r-mp6 and Princess of Wales in Canada. 7.15-8.15 Magnum. 10.50 Star Parade. 11.50 Superstar Profile: Donald Sutherland. 12.20em Company, Closedown.

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Paint Along With Nancy. 11.30 Parents
and Teenagers. 12.09-1.00pm Spirit of
the Malcolm Miller. 1.30 Weather. 1.35
Farming Today. 2.05 Film: Broadway
Limited (Victor McLaglen). 1941
Hobywood farce. 3.35 Radio, 4.05
Bracken. 5.09-5.30 Price and Princess
of Wales in Canada. 7.15-8.15 Magnum.
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CENTRAL

3.35 The School for Fathers (s) Acts 2 5.00 The Associations of War. Fourte of five talks about T S Eliot's 'Four Quartets', by Peter

- Robinson

5.35 Music for Oboe and Piano

Schumann, Britten, Lutoslawsk

6.10 The Means to Prospertly. Patel
Oppenheimer argues for the
continuing worth of Keynas
ideas of how economics work

6.30 De Saram Clarinet Trio Gordon
Crosse, Brahms"

Crosse, Brahms*
7.40 The Devil's Jig by Humphrey

9.60 Smetan's Me Vlast Csech Philharmonic Orchestra (Pt 1)* 9.40 John Cowper Powys. Readings (3) History:
10.00 Ma Vist (Pt2)*
10.45 The English Madrigel Orlendo
Gibbons:
11.15 News VHF Only - Open
- University-5.55am to 7.55 and
11.20 to 12.00.

Radio 2 5.00am Tony Brandom: 7.39 Good Morning Sunday! 9.00 Devid Jacobst. 11.00 Desmond Carrington!. 12.30pm Gloria Hurariford!. 1.30 Castle's on the Air 1. 2.00 Benny Green!. 3.00 Alan Deli with Sounds Easy!. 4.00 String Something Simple!. 4.30 String Sound!. 5.00 Cornedy Classics: The Clitheroe Kid'. 5.30 Cricket Desk. 5.35 Charlie Chester, 6.30 Rilchard Murdoch and Friends. 7.00 Sunday Sport. 7.30 Glamourous Nights. 8.30 Sunday half-hour. 9.00 Your hundred Best Tunes. 10.00 Pop over Europe. 11.02 Sports. Desk. 11.05 Pete Murray's late show. 2.00-5.00am You and the Night and the Music.†

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6.00cm Newsdesk, 6.30 Counterpoint, 7.50
World News, 7.00 News About British, 7.15
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Company, 8.00 World News, 8.09 Reflections,
8.15 The Pleasure's Yours, 9.00 World News,
9.09 Review of the British Press, 9.15 Science
in Acton, 9.45 Sports Review, 10.15 Classical
Record Review, 11.00 World News, 11.09
News About British, 11.15 Letter from America,
11.30 Beken's Hell-Dozen, 12.00 Play of the
Week, 1.99 World News, 1.09 Commentary,
1.15 Good Books, 1.39 Stories by Cristinov,
1.45 The Tony Myett Request Show, 2.30 Cut
of World in Strain, 3.00 Redio News, 8.09
Commentary, 4.15 From Our Own
Commentary, 8.15 Letterbox, 8.00 Sundey Hell
Hour, 9.00 The Monument, 9.15 The Pleasure's
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GRANADA

As London except: 9.25am Airborne. 9.35-10.00 History Makers. 11.00 Parents and Teetagers. 11.25 Aap Kae Hgk. 11.30 This is Your Right, 12.00-1.00pm Eye of the Storm. 1.30 Space 1999. 2.25 Film: Fether Came Too. James Roberteen, buttice as James Robertson-Justice as an interferring father. 1963 comedy, 4.05 Love Boat, 5.09-5.30 Prince and Princess of Weles. 7.46 Magnum. 8.45-8.15 Tales of the Unexpected, 10.05 Trapper John MD, 11.45 Making a Living, 12.15am Closedown.

BORDER

As HTV West except: 2.15pm Metal Mickey. 2.45-3.15 Dick Turpin's Greatest Adventure.

As London except:Starts 9.30em-10.00 Link. 11.00 Parents and Teeragers. 11.30 South East Week. 12.00-1.00pm Spirit of Malcolm Miller. 1.30 Farming News. 2.05pm Gardens For Ali. 2.35 Film: Three Coins in A fountain (Cefton Webb) Adventure of three US girls in Rome. 4.30 Gambit. 5.00-6.30 Prince and Princess of Weles in Canada. 7.15 Newhart. 7.45 Magnum. 8.45-9.15 Tales of the Unexpected. 10.50 City of Angels. 11.46 Leeds Folk

REGIONAL TELEVISION VARIATIONS

As London except: Starts 9.30am-10.30 Sesame Street, 9.18pm-7.00 Film: Where the Bullets Fly. Agent tries to increase a nuclear secret. 9.45 Film: Dracula. As London 10.15. 11.45 Gangster chronicles. 12.45em Closedown. HTV WALES No variation. its 2.45pm The World - A Television 50y, 3.16 Opinions, 3.56 Kind of 10, 4.05 Switch, 5.19 Acting with 4.525 Film; Green Pautures, rose relial Old Testament stories. I Gwesty Gwirion, 7.30 Newyddion, 1 Anturi 8.10 Terro Tant. 8.45 Arching. Film: Bud State, 70.50 Confessioni Film: Bad Sigter, 10.50 Contession elix Kruli, Confidence Man. 11.45 D. Remember? 12.40em Ciceedown. TVS TYNE TEES

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As London except: 9.25am Corny Concerto. 9.25 The Smurts. 10.05-18.36 Metal Mickey. 5.15pm News. 5.20 Cartoon. 5.36 Knjohr Rider. 8.30-7.06 Robin's Nest. 12.15am Company. 70s. 12.45mm Closedown.

YORKSHIRE

As London except: Starts 9.30em Popeye, 9.40-10.30 Breaking Away, 9.15pan-7.00 Soldier of Fortune. As Tyne Thes. 9.45 Film: Orecute: As London 10.15, 11.45 Great Fights of the 70s.

As London except: Starts. 9.36am God's Story. 9.50 European Folk Tales. 10.05-10.30 Metal Mickey. 5.15pm-7.09 First Sobiler of Fottone. As Type Tees. 12.15pm At The End Of The Day. Closedown.

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ULSTER 18.05-19.30 Metal Mickey, 5.15pm-7.00 Firm: Escape of the Skrdman. As Central except:State, 9.45 Firm: Drazula. As London 10.15. 11.45 Sports results. 11.50 Corries and Other Folic. 12.15am News, Closedown.

CHANNEL As London except: Starts 12.15pm World of Sport. 5.15 Puffin's Platice. 5.17-7.00 First Escape of the Birdman. As Central, 8.45 First Dracula, As London 10.15. 11.45 Great Fights of the

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News. News. 8.10 Sunday Papers.

8.15 Sunday, Religious news.
8.55 Week's Good Causs: Elizabeth
Fitzroy Homes, 8.55 Weather;
9.00 News, 9.10 Sunday Papers.
9.15 Letter From America.
9.30 Morning Service.
10.15 The Archers. Omnibus edition.
71.15 Weatend. 11.15 Weekend.
12.00 Smash of the Day: 'Beyond Our Ken' starting Kennath Home.
12.30 The Food Programme. 12.55 Weather; Programme News.
1.00 The World This Weekend. 2.00 News. 2.02 Gardeners' Question Time.

4.00 News.
4.02 Round Britain Catz 1983.
4.30 The Living World visits Lord Kilbrackan's Killegar Estate.
5.00 News; Travel.
5.05 Down Your Way visits Long Metford in Suffelix 5.50 Shipping. 6.00 News. 6.15 Feedback.

2.30 Afternoon Theatre 'Dark Heritage' by Catharine Hughes.

Feedback.
The Princes in the Tower. The story of the disappearance of Edward V and his younger brother Richard, Duke of York.† Booksheif, Frank Delaney talks hear vices Wilkle. 7.30 about Oscar Wilde.

8.00 Music to Remember. Telemann Schutz; records.†

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Starts 2.00pm Flermwyr, 2.10 Week in Politics, 2.50 On Your Blants, 3.15 Seven Days, 3.45 Messer Bridge, 4.10 Medding the Most Of, 4.40 Jazz on Four Meeting of the spirits, 5.35 Messers: William Morris, 6.30 Cer 54, Where Are You? Agonis d.30 car 34, where Are tour 7.00 Newyddion, 7.10 Ond 0 Ddifn, Madam Serz. 8.05 Iddo Ef. 8.45 The Optimist. 9.16 Brideshead Revisited. 10.15 At Last . . . It's Mike Ellott. 10.45 Bowls Ar Y Lawra Gamog. 11.15 Dance on Four. 12.40am Closedown. TYNE TEES As London except: Starts 9,30am-10.00 Link. 11.00 Lookaround, 11.05 Jason of Star Command, 11.17 God's Story. 11.30 Parent and Teenagers, 12.00-

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memories of Russia by Bill Campbell, alies Villi the Clown. 9.00 News. 9.02 The King Must Die by Mary Renault (4) 13.58 Weather.
10.00 News.
10.18 A Hun on the Schumacher
Scale. First of two reports on the

expariences of two brothers running over the Himalayas.

11.00 The Laughing Buddha, Humour from the Buddhist tradition.

11.15 The War Journal of Marie Manda. 12.06 News: Wester.

Radio 3 7.55 Weather 8.00 News 8.05 Mendelst ohn Chamber Music. records 9.00 News 9.05 Your Concert Choice Records

requests: Kabalevsky, Mozart, stroumski, Stravinsky.* 10.30 Music Weekly* 11.29 Orchestras of Britain English Chamber Orchestra. Part 1: 12.05 Interval Reading 12.10 Part 2 Roy Harris, Ned Rorem Sessions 12.50 Plano Duets Dyorak, Schubert, 12-56 Plano Duess Dyorak, Schubert,
Brahms*
1.50 Reiche Wind Quartet*
2.15 The School for fathers (s) Correc
opera in three acts by WolfFernari sung in Edward Dent's
English translation in Phoenix
Opera's production from this
year's Camdon Festival. Act 1
3.15 The Dream of the Wheel of
Fortune. Illustrated talk by Kevin
Crossley-Holland

As London except: Starts 9.30am
Stingray, 10.00-11.00 Sesame Street,
11.30 Parents and Teemagers, 12.00
God's Story, 12.15pm World Famous
Fairytales, 12.30 University Challenge,
1.00 Sunday Service, 1.30 Farming
Outlook, 2.00 Royal Highland Show,
2.30 Glen Michael Cavalcade, 3.15
Glasgow Golf Classic, 5.00-5.30 Prince
and Princess of Wales in Canado, 7.45
Magnum, 8.45-9.15 Tales of the
Unexpected, 10.55 Shelley, 11.25 Late
Call, 11.30 Snooker, 12.10am
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1.00pm Cities. 1.30 Bygones. 2.00
Gardening Time. 2.30 Paint Along with
Nancy. 3.00 Cartoons. 3.15 Film:
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claims she is the daughter of the last
Czar of Russia. 5.00-5.30 Prince and
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By Clifford Webb Motoring Correspondent

Transport union members employed in BL's Cowley car body plant voted yesterday by secret ballot to accept management's ultimatum to end their traditional "washing-up time" allowance. The result was 1,568 for and 1,199 against.

It is the first time that shop stewards at Cowley have used the ballot box and follows indecisive voting at a mass meeting on Wednesday.

Workers leaving the factory last night said it was apparent that many of the 4,000 Trans-port and General Workers Union members had not bothered to vote. They regarded the outcome as "a mere formality", since more and more men were already obeying "bell-to-bell" working imposed by management on Tuesday.

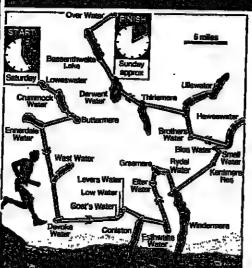
At that time they were warned that they would lose 15 minutes' pay for each occasion they clocked out early. Over a week, that could amount to about £3.50.

But the problem of their more militant colleagues in the adjoining car assembly plant remains unresolved. They have been told that early leaving will be stopped next week although no actual deadline has been set.

It is thought that management was awaiting reaction in the body plant before setting the actual day and a decision will probably now be made over the weekend

A month-long strike in April by 5,000 assembly workers cost Austin Rover £120m of production, mainly new Maestros. They have been working extensive overtime since the end of the strike to build stocks of new cars in readiness for heavy sales expected in August, forecast to be 320,000 cars compared with last August's 302,000.





Lakes await the flying shepherd

Joss Naylor, the Cumbrian fell runner, sets out on another long-distance record attempt today, running past every mere, water and lake in the Lake District, Ronald Faux writes.

The course is 106 miles and demands climbing 18,000 ft. Mr Naylor, aged 47, aims to cover the distance in as close to 20 hours as possible to break the record of 25½ hours set last year by Alan Heaton of Clayton-le-Moors Harriers.

The man known locally as the "flying shepherd", who has broken numerous long distance fell race records, said yesterday that he was in top fitness and had been resting for two days from a rigorous training sched-

He has been covering up to 120 miles a week, often on the fells above his home at Wasdale, in preparation for his run, on which he will be paced by a succession of runners from checkpoint to checkpoint.

Mr Naylor's impressive record includes 10 wins in the Vaux mountain trial, the tough-est event in the fell racing calendar, and 18 times being

placed in the first three, He has raised thousands of pounds for Cumbrian charities from his running feats and counts today's run as only "middling hard".

He recalled covering 72 peaks, 38,000 ft and 105 miles as being really gruelling. Other runs have been from coast to coast, the full length of the Pennine Way and round the three highest mountains in England, Scotland and Wales. "The physical and mental

preparation is very important, I find", Mr Naylor said.

Letter from the German pine woods

Once more into the breeches, dear friends

Germans love to go a-wan-dering, not only along the mountain track but almost anywhere accessible to their Mercedes and Volkswagens. When they go a-wandering at weekends, a knapsack on their back, they do so with exemp-lary Germanic organization on "people's walks," that com-bine jovial muscularity, a competitive sporting instinct and a dreamy communing in the cool pine forests with the spirit of German romantic

tradition. I went on my first Volkswanderung through the hills of the Rhineland-Palatinate near the French border. Selfconsciously out of place in a city shirt and black shoes, I turned up around 10 am in the bustling courtyard, where the walk began and ended amid tables and benches of serious walkers who had already completed their trek and were quaffing beer and tucking into the obligatory rolls and Wwst.

Like caricatures of 1930 Germans, they milled around in their corduroy breeches, knee-length woolen socks, stour shoes and check shirts, stour shoes and check sures, solid, thigh-slapping burghers with badges and ribbons to prove their perambulatory prowess. Most were members of walking clubs, and would expect to polish off two or three events on a good day.

There was some surprise indoors that I was not part of a team; the collective mentality still predominates, and the team that turns out the most members for a Wanderung -whatever the weather - wins extra points in the league.

You have to register if you want, the coveted medal at the end, and that, of course, is half the point how else can you boast that you stayed the course? I opted for 10 rather than 20 kilometres (12 miles) paid the fee of 6.50 marks (£1.50) – which supports the local sports clubs for the next year - and chose a hideous mock pewter plate rather than

the kitschy wine-jug as my final reward. I then set off with a friend striding along the road, pain-ted with arrows and helpfully marked with warning signs by the police to discourage motorists from decimating the three-thousand or more people who turn up for these

things.

We made good speed, passing all sorts of groups, young and old, and listening to their quaint local accents -New England, Mid-West, deep South. We had, it turned out, picked a wanderung that was only a few miles from the giant American air base at Ranstein, and Americans from the vast community of 70,000 in the Kaiserslautern area had joined up in force for the

It was a lovely day: warm, sunny, with a light breeze. Rural Germany looks at its most beautiful from the little lanes and footpaths where our trail led us. Farms nestled in the steep vallies, the black and green forests rose up on the mountains around, the halftimbered houses that lay far from the path of war reminded you of what old-fashioned Germany once looked like

The sticky tape indicators helpfully plastered on strategic trees, directed us up a long hill through a beechwood,

The pine woods in this part of Germany are still reasonably healthy, though they are dying by the hectare elsewhere, killing something of the German spirit in the process. We passed through the forest, across meadows - farmers are surprisingly tolerant of this mass migration over their land - and after about two hours were back on the road to the finish. As I ached in to claim my trophy and my beer, I had that sense of achievement which presumably impels so many thousands of Germans to go walking.

Michael Binyon

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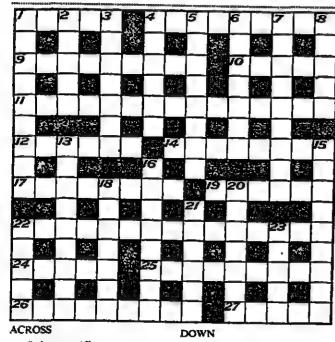
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Solution of Puzzle No 16,159

Solution of Puzzle No. 16,164

The Times Crossword Puzzle No. 16,165 A price of The Times Atlas of the World (comprehensive edition) will be given for the first three correct solutions opened new Thursday. Entries should be addressed to: The Times, Saturday Crossword Competition, 12 Coley Street, London WC99 97T. The winners and solution will be published new Saturday.

The winners of last Saturday's competition are: Mrs Jill Cooper, 34 Eastern Avenus East. Romford. Essex: Mr S W Whytehead, Jesmond, Hollybank Road, West Byfleet, Surrey: Mrs V cronica Anstey, 13a Mariborough Road, Richmond, Surrey.



Quiet game (5).

4 Athlete one may take to one's heart (9). 9 Yeoman to the rescue (9).

10 Punished with prison newspaper boss (5). 11 Commit oneself, but not directly one's birth occurs (5,3.7).

12 "Don's a donkey", you said to me (6). 14 All of a doodah, Albert and me, really upset (8).

17 Vital committee on which 27 19 Returning in the afternoon,

spots pitch (6). 22 Divers do cut up rough

24 Lest with President a point to compare (5).

25 Paper bag (5-4). 26 With endurance uncommon in Latin type (9).

1 Gag fashion expert (9). 2 I stick within hearing of the

White House (5), 3 Matron's solved one across light

4 Pickle, soft and easily digested (6). 5 Officer on North Island supplies

building material (8). 6 Gruesome vehicle in Tom Pearse's transport (7).

7 The snake gives sovereign firm support (4-5). 8 Sculptor portrays river god (5). 13 Blue locomotive, a high-flier

(3-6). 15 After physical education pass on in next change of shift (9). 16 For his part, South quits bar (8).

18 Peccadillo pertaining to a criminal (7). 20 It's vital to end fuel mix-up (7).

21 Not even Ruth loses bead in quiz (6). 22 Dancing girl goes to work (5). 27 He composed "Hark! hark!" (5), 23 Cut up writing papers (5).

Today's events

Princess Anne, President of the Save the Children Fund, attends a Save the Children Fund Féte and Polls. Rally, Upton County Park, Poole,

9.10.
Prince Michael of Kent attends a Garden Party at the Royal Life-Saving Society Headquarters, Mountbatten House, Studley,

Diocesan Choral Association Festival, Winchester Cathedral,

General

John the Baptist Churchyard, Halesowen, W Midlands, all day, Youth Water Festival, including dinghy and raft race, Crosby Marina, Cambridge Road, Liverpool, 11 to 4.

Drake Naval Base Fair, HMS

Craft demonstrations: walking stick carving, sheep shearing blacksmith's craft, basket making Welsh Folk Museum, St Fagans Cardiff, 11 to 1 and 2 to 4.30.

Tomorrow

Music Organ recital by Gilbert Kenne-dy, Ely Cathedral, 5.
Organ recital by Norman Finlay, Belfast Cathedral, Donegall Street, Belfast, 3.30.

General Nottingham to Newark charity bike ride, leaves Goose Fair Site, Nottingham, 9.30. London to Brighton bike ride in aid of British Heart Severatesia

Barbican Centre, 10 to 6 Sun & Mon, 10 to 8 Tues, 10 to 4 Wed. Blackheath Kite Festival, Blackheath, SE3, from 2.

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Australia S Austria Sch The Duchess of Gloucester attends the Lawn Tennis Associa-tion Annual Ball, Hilton Hotel, Denmark Kr Finland Mkk France Fr

Mountbatten Warwickshire, 4.

5.30.
Concert by Rochester Choral
Society, Rochester Cathedral, 7.30.
Recital by Choir of Caius College
Cambridge, 5.15; and anniversary
concert. Academy of St Thomas,
7.30; both at Norwich Cathedral,
Concert by Cambridge Players Concert by Cambridge Players, Trinity College Chapel, Cambridge,

Chad's Cathedral, Birmingham, 8. Concert by Cathedral Choir and Orchestra, Guildford Cath

Concert by City of Leeds College of Music Choral Society and Symphony Orchestra, Leeds Town Concert by Cathedral Orchestra, Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral, 7.30

Halesowen 9th Century Festival: medieval street market, Morris dancing, maypole, flower festival, St

Drake, Devonport, all day.

Royal engagements Princess Anne, Colonel-in-chief, The Royal Signals, attends the Royal Signals Association Annual Reunion, Catterick Camp, York-

aid of British Heart Foundation, arriving Madeira Drive, Brighton, throughout day.

Capital Venture Day: free activities including go harting, hot air ballooning, potholing, Battersea Park, SW11, 11 to 6. Business to Business exhibition

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waiting restrictions and temporary one-way system between 8.30 and 9pm daily in Marryat Road Somerset Road and Church Road, Wimbledon, Richmond town centre: experimental closure of Hill Street and George Street from 8 to 430 A13: Roadworks on Feet Ladia 4.30. A13: Roadworks on East India Dock Road near Abbott Road, Wales and West: M5: Nothbound exit slip road closed; at junction 25

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Gardens open

TOMORROW

Berkshire: Winkfield Place, Winkfield, Windsor, garden planted by the late Constance Spry; interesting plants and shrubs for flower arrangers, flower arranging demonstrations: 2 to 7. Combrise: Dailam Tower, Milathorpe off A6 on B5282 at Milathorpe; wood walks, fine trees and shrubs, rock garden and roses; 2 to 7. Devon The Old Barn, Fremington, 4m W of Barnstaple on A39 Barnstaple-Bideford road; 2 acres, walled cottage garden, herbs, shrubs, roses, many clematis, lilles; 2 to 6. Fife: Elmwood Agricultural and Technical College, Carslogie Road, Cupar, herbaccous and shrub and annual borders, glasshouses, produce stall; 2 to 6. Hertfordshire: 8 gardens at Weston and Hall's Green, 2m off A1 at Letchworth exit; The Cottage, Green End: Dannalls Hall: On the TOMORROW at Letchworth exit; The Cottage, Freen End: Darnails Hall: On the Green: Weston Manor and High Mount all at Weston and Fairclough Hall Cottage (2 gardens) and Old Bellows at Half's Green; 2 to 6. Oxfordshire: 3 gardens at Shipton-under-Wychwood, on A361, 4m N under-Wychwood, on A361, 4m N of Burford, 6m S of Chipping Norton; Keibrook, 2 acres, water garden, herbaceous, roses; The Old Prebendal House, 1/2 acre, herbaceous, shrubs, roses; Shipton Standing, 3 acres, shrubs, clematis, roses, alpines; 2 to 6.30. Perthshire: Branklyn, Perth; rock and acres earteen. The plaints fire collection gardens, rare alpines, fine collection of dwarf rhododendrons; 10 to

of dwarf rhododendrons; 10 to sunset. Meikleous, by Blairgowrie; fine trees, river walks, azaleas, rhododendrons, roses; flower and produce stall; 2 to 6. Somerset: Yarlington House, Yarlington, off A303 between Wincanton and Sparkford; pleached limes, rose and walled gardens, laburnum walk, woods; 2 to 6. Sussex: Chidmere House. Chidhana are Chidhana. House, Chidham, nr Chi interesting shrubs, 2 to 7.

In the garden

Greenfly and blackfly are a serious problem this year - look into the hearts of young globe artichoke flowers, strawberry plants and keeps careful watch on lilies. Spray with permethrin or some other suitable insecticide and give another appli-cation after three days.

Water window boxes and tube once a day in hot weather; langing baskers dry our very fast and need special attention. Feed all plants in containers once every 7-10 days. Put straw or black plastic sheeting RH

Anniversaries

Justice Robert English author of The Riddle of the Sands, London, 1870; Louis, 1st Earl Mounthatten of Barnan, Frogmore House, Windsor, 1900; George Oswell, Motihari, India, 1903.

Deaths: Francisco Pizarro, con-queror of the Inca empire, Lima, Peru, 1541; Joseph-Michel Mont-golfier, balloonist, Balaruc-les-Bains, France, 1810; Samuel Crompton, inventor of the spinning mule, Bolton, Lancashire, 1827; George IV (reigned 1820-30), Windsor, 1830.

Weather

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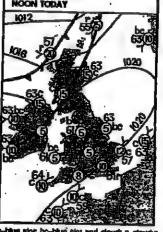
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25 JUNE -1 JULY 1983 A WEEKLY GUIDE TO LEISURE, ENTERTAINMENT AND THE ARTS

With Henley starting next week, Adrian Barlow, in the fifth in

our series on seasonal

diversions, looks at

messing about in punts

Solidarity with a pole

with large houses and expensive turn, from the Middlesex manoeu bank. The clubhouse of the Thames Valley Skiff Club is on the Surrey side and not exactly a plush affair. Apart from the crates of empties outside, it looks more like a scout but than the venue for a major sporting event, but it is from here in August, that competitors will set out to contest the Amateur Punting Championship of the the sport's national

A huge silver rose bowl will testify to the age of the competition. The bowl was first presented in 1836 and bears the names of such eminent past champions as W. H. Grenfell, perhaps the greatest all-round sportsman of his era, and Ralph Bending, champion from 1946 to 1948, who revolutionized the sport by introducing the lightweight aluminium pole and is still revered as one of the finest punting exponents.

Like punting itself, the championship is enjoying a revival. At the end of the 1960s with interest waning and not enough punters of sufficient quality coming through, it was allowed to lapse and as the years went by seemed unlikely to be staged again. But the sport was kept going at local regattas: good young punters emerged, and last year the championship

was back. It was a nostalgic occasion, Bending was not to be lured out of retirement but his successor as champion. Nevill Milroy, was umpire for the day, and Tony Christie, four times victorious in the past, was there to contest the true he had last won in 1963. The modest setting of Walton may have CTY DOM THE CHYS when the championship was held at Maidenhead and merited a special grandstand, a flotilla of launches and a halfpage photograph in The Tatler, But the boats were authentic and included racing punts built

on the Serpentine, so a "best- saw the publication of Riving-and-best" racing punt bears ton's Punting: Its History and scant resemblance to the Techniques, which in both text elegant, leisurely craft seen at and illustrations is the fullest Oxford and Cambridge or survey of the subject ever Henley. It may be up to 35ft published. long and, astonishingly, as narrow as 14½ in or less. The competitor punts from the centre of the boat, whose stem and stern are covered by canvas. He carries two spare poles clipped either side of the punt, and it is one of the great feats of watermanship to change poles at speed (if one becomes stuck in the mud) without losing balance or momentum. At Walton, though, the bottom

was firm and no poles were lost. A punting course is about three-quarters of a mile. Two punts race at a time, starting from a stake-boat, a punt moored across stream. Start and finish are at the same point at the far end of the course stand

two ryepecks, or posts round

still possible to find punts for hire at several places on the

Ouse, the Thames and the Avon as well as on lakes and canals.

This summer a team of students from St Hilda's College sets out to prove that it is still possible

to pant direct (more or less) from Oxford to Cambridge - by

water some 200 miles. North of the Trent, however,

it is a different story. At

Durham, until quite recently, you could hire a punt from Brown's boathouse and enjoy one of the most spectacular

views in Britain: the cathedral framed by the graceful arches of Prebends Bridge. Now, alas, the only punts to be seen on the Wear belong to the college

As for punting north of the

Here the crucial manocuvre of the race occurs for, instead of steering the punt right round the ryepeck, time is saved by "stopping-up". The pole is jammed obliquely on to the river bed, bringing the punt to a halt. The punter turns to face back up the course and shoves off, passing the other side of the ryepeck as he begins

the return journey.
In a tight race the punts stay
close to each other and the umpire has to ensure that skilful watermanship does not give way to devious gamesmanship. "Taking your opponent's water" can be serious interference, and a well-aimed but unobtrus-ive shove can cause havoe. No wonder that Rule 12 of the Thames Punting Club laws states uncompromisingly, "Every punt shall abide by its

sight. Local crews from Wrays-bury, Thames Valley and the Dittons Skiff and Punting clubs raced in pairs with speed and precision; sadly there was no ladies' punting. There used to be a ladies' champion, Penny Chuter (now senior coach to the Amateur Rowing Association); but from the age of 15 she so dominated the event that the opposition lost heart. Now it seems there are no women punters left.

The standard of punting at Walton may not have been vintage, but the Amateur Punting Championship looks set to celebrate its centenary in 1986. If it does, this will largely be due to the enthusiasm of a man who has never faced a punt in anger in his life. He is R. T. Rivington, an antiquarian bookseller in Oxford who, in for 10 years to publish a treatise

Punts and Punting, one of last summer's surprise best-sellers, outlined the origins and development of punting on the Thames, and at Oxford and before 1914. Cambridge, and dealt in some Just as a racing scull has little detail with punt racing and in common with a rowing boat punting techniques. This year

The fishing punt is the real precursor of the Thames punt. Traditionally painted green, it was wide and heavy and contained a wet-well: this was a box built across the width of the punt, the lid acting as a seat. Grills either side allowed water to flow through the well, so that catches could be kept fresh.

But the fishing punt was cumbersome to manoeuvre. "Walking the punt" gave rise to endless jokes in Punch and elsewhere about punters who, as Jerome K. Jerome put it, "had taken just one step more than there was any necessity for, and walked off the punt altogether."

A new and more static. technique was required. In a wonderfully evocative memoir



British professional

of the Thames, Our River (1881), the Victorian painter G. D. Leslie, R.A., was the first to describe "another style of punting, much used at Oxford for light sounts which is done by

till, and pricking the boat along, the steering being effected by the direction given to the pole". The popularity of punting

was enormous and, indeed, the punt has come to stand as a symbol of the leisured elegance of the Victorian era. At the undergraduates universities took lessons in punting from watermen such as Abel Beesley, professional punting champion for 13 years until Grenfell persuaded him to retire and give others a chance. Wherever the river conditions were right punts replaced skiffs and canoes as the most popular boats for

hire.
The Thames Punting Club was founded in 1885 and P. W. Squire, its secretary, extolled the virtues of the pursuit "The punter faces the direction in which the craft is travelling and he or she can have a good view of the scenery. The punt is also better adapted for luncheon and tea, which obviates the necessity of reaching an hotel at any special time."

In the iconography of punting the girl is usually seen lounging on the cushions, gazing up at the man who stands with the pole above her. Yet a surprising number of Victorian paintings and illus-trations show how women themselves took to punting.

Grenfell approved: "To the onlooker a lady punter, standing erect and propelling her craft with ease and dexterity, is a more graceful and grateful sight than that of an equally accomplished sister labouring a

Between the wars the num bers of punts at Oxford and Cambridge diminished slowly in the 1950s and 1960s the decline accelerated everywhere for light punts, which is done by The great enemy of the punt is standing in the stern, or on the the motor-cruiser, whose wash

and fumes are a constant threat. A second reason for the decline was cost, Punts are bulky to store and expensive to

repair or replace. Before the First World War a Thames punt with full trim could be had for £25; today a punt of the same quality is more than £1,000. Thirdly, fewer people nowadays know how to punt or are

willing to risk an afternoon's.

their hand. Equally, and understandably, boatmen are reluctant to have their poles lost.

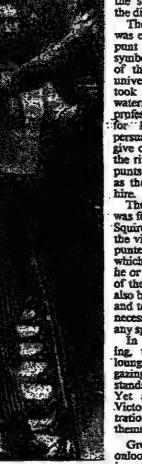
The art of punting is not, in fact, a mystery but of course there is a knack. Punting is not a matter of brute force; once the punt has gained a bit of momentum, the pole is used as much to maintain direction as speed. Secondly, do not be in a

water and begin the next stroke: let it float to the surface behind you and use it as a rudder. Rivington's simple maxim was

"Stand upright and relax". The Amateur Punting Championship of the Thames will be held at Walton-on-Thames Surrey, on Sunday, August 21. Racing starts at noon. Further

R. T. Rivington's Punts and Punting (32 pages, £1.50) and Punting: Its history and Techniques (240 pages, £10.95) are both published by him at 36 Park End Street, Oxford OX1 1HJ (0685 721809).

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Old prot Abel Beesley, punting champion from 1877 to 1890

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OXFORD: Pent's can be Cambridgeshire is an ideal putting river, meandering, may also be able to hire a punt on the Avon. The city is not the hottom is good for easy punting. Helow the bridge, the punting the Botanic held annually at the Heming-instance on the Reviverials and lakes, for instance on the Reviverials. Canal at ODIHAM in Hamp-HUFFS: The wooden cross-pieces at either end of the punt. shire or at THORPENESS MERE near Aldeburgh, Suf-

SALCON: The seating area where passengers can face each other.

seeking local knowledge about currents or uneven river bot-toms. It may save you the toms. It may save you embarrassment of having paddle back for a lost pole.

Wherever you find punts for hire, remember that you may have to pay a hefty deposit before you set out. If you are exploring an unfamiliar stretch of water, it is always worth

Where to go upstream without a paddle Gardens and Christchurch ford Regatta at Hemingford Meadows. At Folly Bridge you can hire camping pants for upperhaps the last true village river trips as far as Lechlade in regatta in England. Gloucestershire. The Cherwell boathouse, Bardwell Road be a very popular place for some of the most beautiful panting but only at Godalming but only at Godalming is it still possible to hire a punt. - a pleasant, but increas gowded, stretch of river. STRATFORD-ON-AVON-Punts can be hired near the Domaine famous Clopton Bridge. Upstream the punting is good until you round a corner and come enexpectedly upon a caravan du VIALA Vin de Pays de l'Aude VIÒ de TABLE FRANÇAIS Ais en bouleille par CDE BERTIER Propr. Récol à PARAZA (Aude)

As for punting north the border, after the Amateur Punting Championships last year the secretary of the Honorable Society of Edinburgh. Boaters challenged the "soidisant Thames Punting Club" to disant Thames Punting Club" to

imagine that there is no one on English waters who could rise to the challenge, they may be in for boat and then pushing outwards, a surprise. At Glashury-on-Wye STOPPRIG-UP: in puntracing the art of technique of reversing the puntracine plutting (a skill much round the ryspect.

prized in Canada and the United States) is being revived. Poling a Canadian cance through the rapids is a far cry from the gentlemanly proceedings at Walton-ou-Thomes but it all goes to show that punting is far from moribund. CAMBRIDGE: Nearly everybody punts along the Backs. The architecture is THAMES: Panting can be sheer delight or a nightmare; large cruisers, sudden cross winds and prolonged deep water spectacular, but in the high season punting conditions can be chaotic. Punts can be hired either at Magdalene Bridge or Silver Street. For a gentler Knaresborough, on the river Nidd, it used to be possible to punt under the fine viaduct and the high and low bridges. At make this no river for the beginner. Punts are available at Henley, Hurley, Sunbury and Hampton and at Cookham

onting, take the Granta towards

Jolly punting jargon

a contest of upstream, whitewater paning on a salmon-river

PRICKING: Punting from a standing

But if the Edinburgh Bosters PRICHING THE PUNT: Steering towards the near bank by dropping the pole close to the side of the boat and then pushing outwards.

SWIMS: The sloping undersections of the punt. TILL: The raised and boarded

COUNTERS: The canvas coverings at either and of a racing punt. SHOE: The pronged metal end of RYEPECK: This turning post at the tar end of a punt racing course. Dream destinations

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Today, in the first

of an occasional series, our tour of

India begins among the fabled temples

of the south



entrance, boys sell marigoid earlands coconuts neath huge blue and yellow carved dragons. Inside, flickering

neon signs in a mysterious script identify sculptures of many-limbed dancing gods. Priests scurry about, Women jewelry, tourist mementoes toys and strip cartoon books recounting the triumphs of the Hindu gods. Staring, smiling children pop up everywhere. The air is perfumed with coconut milk, burning camphor oil and spices. Men foll on the stone floor in the cool half-light. reading, chatting or sleeping. The resident elephant is on his way to take his daily bath in the temple pool, dangling a red plastic bucket from his trunk.

This was my first visit to a temple in south India. And not at all what I had expected. Warned that the temples would be dull, empty and covered in ugly sculptures - and finding confirmation in lavish picture breath at Madurai airport, vowing at least to give them a try. With a car, and a driver and guide to give maximum com-fort and help. I set out for the unpronounceable Tiruparankumdram temple cut into a hillside of rock outside Madu-

My conversion was instantaneous and complete, which was just as well because temples are everywhere. In the cities there are big ones, teeming with life, where friends meet after work, and little ones on the street corners. Every village has



Divine majesty: The magnificent Meenaleshi temple complex in Madarai

ing over them, men asleep in bullocks. their shade. Many of the Tamil is the language of the magnificent temple complexes south, written in a rounded abandoned. Their buildings are unpronounceable. adorned with beautiful sculp-tures and they are a peaceful contrast to the noisy city places

On the way to visit them, through city streets and markets or along bumpy, dusty roads to villages and deserted sites, the whole of south Indian life is on show. It is quite different from the north. Here the people have very dark skin, almost black.

Women dress in luminously bright saris with orange, mauve, crimson and blue chequered patterns. They jangle with silver jewelry – necklaces, bangles on arms, wrists, and several rings round each ear, through each nostril and even on the toes. Men grow tidy black moustaches. They too wear lengths of a gopurom - a tall granite coloured chequered cotton, pyramid gateway - every inch whereas in the north it is white. carved with fighting, leaping And they paint the long twisting and dancing forms. They are horns of their bullocks with now being painted in their glossy red and green stripes, original, dazzling colours. Fivesometimes fixing bells or tinsel on the tips.

at dawn to fetch water from the well, many then go to work in the paddy-fields, taking metal lunch-boxes on their heads, or work as labourers building the several, all covered from ground roads. Men seem to get a better the heart of the temple the

to roof with jolly, gaily-painted deal, and have a good ally in stucco gods, children clamber- their beloved, hard-working

script and spoken very fast. powerful rulers have been long Place names are long and

Madural, at the tip of south India, is pure Hindu and untouched by Mogul sophistication or by the pushy commercialism found more and more in the north. The city is dominated by the vast Meenakshi temple complex. Although mostly built during the seventeenth century, its foundation stretches back at least two millennia, when the city was the capital for the Pandya kings and a centre of learning and pilgrimage. Thou-sands of pilgrims still visit it daily and the enterprising locals provide them with everything they need - and much they do

The temple is protected by a rectangular wall. On each side is headed gods wrestle with 10armed enemies; hordes of monkeys attack a giant demon; Durga, goddess of war, rides her lion; Ganesh, the elephant god of learning, sits in screne

In the Golden Lotus pool at



Louise Nicholson roams from the heat and bustle of Madurai to the cool, moonlit gardens of the Taj Mahal ...

The gods dance barefoot in the land of the lotus

everybody can enjoy it - and mow who the virtuous donor

attractions, of course, Boldpainted griffins, dragons and lions look down into the courtyard of the seventeenthcentury Thirumalai Naick palace, restored last century by Lord Napier and now used for concerts. And Madurai is one of the main centres for studying the life and works of Mahatma Gandhi. The Gandhi museum exhibits spinning wheels, the Mahanna's glasses and - a bit ghoulish - behind a screen in a darkened room is the homespun dhoti he was wearing when he

Leaving Madurai before dawn, we find the roads already crowded with overloaded bullock carts taking advantage of the cooler hours. As dawn breaks the women assemble at riliage wells or pumps to fill brass pots, returning home with one on the head, the other on a hip. The driver pulls in at a wayside temple twinkling with fairy lights to offer a prayer for a

We drive past groundnut plantations, palmyra palms whose leaves are used for

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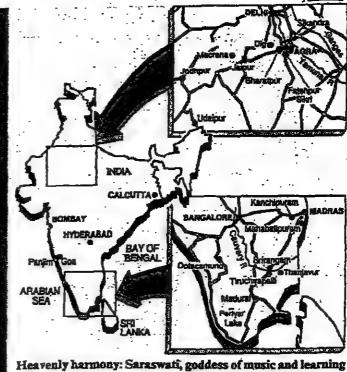
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roofing, through villages with the communal transistor blaring crackled music. On past forts, that cars will winnow it and a tiny temple built between huge statues of a horse and elephant, all brightly painted, until the tall gateways of Thanjavur come in sight,

serenity after the hectic buzz of Madurai. It was the capital of the Chola kings from the ninth century to the thirteenth. The emperor Raja Raja built the main temple, whose most the local women now use for their washing. The detailed carvings of the simple temple buildings lack the baroque exuberance of those at Madural.

The temples of Thanjavur and Tiruchirapalli near by were built on the wealth of the Chola rice crop, grown in the delta of the Cauvery river, which is still called "the rice-bowl of India". The huge Srirangam temple complex at Tiruchirapalli is full of scampering local children and Indian families on pilgrimage. Every ruling dynasty seems to have had a hand in its construction, and there has been uncharacteristic restoration. But the tenth-century part has not been touched, and here are probably the most sublime and sensitive carvings of women to be found anywhere

a shy maiden awaiting her lover, another putting on ewelry, another standing with a parrot at her feet. Going west from Madurai, towards the Western Ghats, the iand is increasingly fertile as it rises. Women, working in rows,

plant out paddy-fields, glisten-ing with water fed from irrigation streams. At Thekkady the hills rise sharply from the plain. High among them is the Periyar wildlife sanctuary. Here the climate is tropical, the morning clamber up lofty trees, draping leaves as big as tea-trays. Outsize blossoms in dazzling red and pink shout from the trees, cardamom bushes grow in the shade and the birds sing strange

In the middle of the sanctuary is Periyar Lake, whose surrounding russet slopes re-flected in the still water look like the Scottish Highlands. A boat trip is the best way to spot wildlife. Although the guides warn gloomily that nothing will be seen, they usually find something Just to see an elephant family lazily grazing

on the lake shore, trunks swaying makes the visit worth-while. The cool tranquillity is so restorative after the heat that it is tempting to spend a night at the tiny hotel on an island in the lake.

On the east coast, just south of Madras, lie Mahabalipuram and Kanchipuram, the port and capital of the Pallava kings, the great Tamil dynasty whose power reached its height between the fifth and eighth conturies. Mahabalipuram's temple halls, stone chariots and romantic shore temples are decorated with bold reliefs. The most remarkable one, completely covering a huge rock face, portrays a profusion of animals, gods and beasts which

ing that which tells of the origin of the Ganges river. Kanchipuram is a thriving provincial town. After the Pallavas left, other rulers built more temples or added to those already there. The easiest way to explore them and to see the town is on a hired bicycle.

feature in various fables, includ-

(They are cheap and readily available.) The old English schoolhouse is smothered in bougainvillaca, and public balls are decked out with palm-tree canopies for engagement par-ties. Musicians practise outside. The thriving cotton and silk-

weaving industries of Kanchi-puram began in Pallavan times. As in Madurai, dyers and weavers enjoy being visited. Outside a cotton-dyeing building skeins of rurquoise and lilac dry. Inside, men work in humid semi-darkness, cleaning the cotton, then dipping it from poles bung across troughs of dye heated by wooden fires. The cotton is then rinsed and wrung out in a mangle before compet-

ing for garden space with the cows and bullocks.

To find cotton weavers, listen for the rattle of wooden shuttles as they are thrown back and

forth at enormous speed. However, Kanchipuram's weaving fame lies with the master silk weavers, whose work is some of the most highly prized in all India, The splendid saris worn at weddings, important religious ceremonies and glittering social occasions are

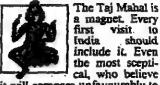
Weaving is a family affair. The father sits quietly on the floor, spinning Bangalore silk on to the shuttles. His wife and daughter sit on a built-in bench at one end of the loom which almost fills the room. It takes about 15 days to weave 11

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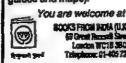
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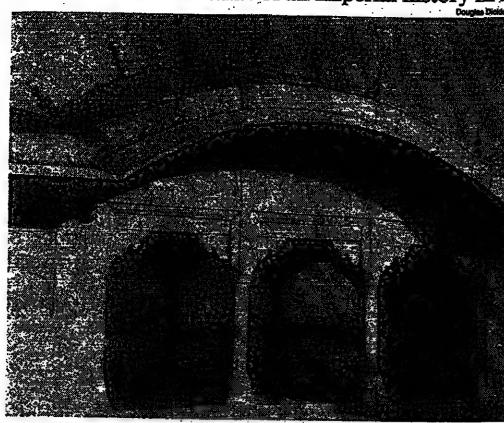
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On the other side of the river lies the tomb of Itamad-ud-Daulah, Mumtaz's Persian grandfather, reached through the town and over a rickety bridge. It is quite small and very beautiful, resembling a giant medieval reliquary. Built of while marble, with pietra dura inlay, the interior lit by lattice work walls, its design fore-shadows that of the Taj, begun four years later, in 1632.

Akbar's tomb is just north of the city, at Sikandra, in the centre of a large garden enjoyed more by the lazy, long-haired monkeys than by anyone else. He designed it himself, mixing

around the fort; there are more for the Emperor's relaxation, a than 500 families to be found chequered courtyard paved for practising true pietra dura in a giant game of packeesi - quieter parts of the city. The something like draughts - which marble comes from Macrana, he is supposed to have played near Jaipur. It is hard and non- using slave girls as pieces. porous and, unlike soapstone, does not scratch or stain. To sanctuary at Bharatpur are also learn his craft, an apprentice a tale of extraordinary extravaworks for 15 years, mastering all gance. An immense lake was the various stages, even making dug into the natural marsh to

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blessed with a son. In gratitude, he transferred his capital there, building the splendid red sandstone city only to abandon it a few years later, apparently because of the bad water supply. It is, therefore, a perfectly preserved Mogul city, a very rich emperor's forgotten toy. It reflects his immense wealth and power, his study and tolerance of other religions and his personal attempt to synthesize them in architecture and a new hybrid religion, Deen Ilahi.

The mosque is outside the He designed it himself, mixing walls, everything else is inside. Muslim styles, and began to The Jodh Bai palace, used by build it in modest red sandstone the Muslim Akbar's Hindu before he died. His son, wife, has Hindu columns and Jehangir, completed it in flashy Muslim cupolas. Stone rings white marble. It looks like a and halters for horses and layered wedding cake. camels are still in place in the The craft of inlaying marble stables. There are hostels for with precious stones continues visiting merchants, tiny palaces today. Avoid the smiling street for courtiers, the Ankh Michauvendors of soapstone who lurk li housing state documents, and,

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Although it is difficult to believe now, Dig was a flourishing commercial centre in the eighteenth century. All that remains is a splendid group of palaces built around a formal mogul style garden, lying between two reservoirs, all within massive walls.

In one palace there is a horseshoe table in marble, where dinner guests would lounge on bolsters. A carved and painted balcony juts over the water where local women sing and chatter as they bash their bright saris on the steps while washing them. The drawing-room stretches the length of the ground floor, incongruously furnished with European sofas. carved tables and Chinese porcelain, still lovingly cared for by aged servants left behind

by the maharajas. Dig has one of the few palaces entirely open to the public and provides a fascinat-Agra's monuments are annual duck-shoot, enjoyed by, but there are three among others, Lord Curzon in ing insight for Europeans into places to visit nearby that 1902. It is now the Keoladeo the lifestyles of the fast-disappearing maharajas.

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An afternoon on Bombay They are very cheap, have excellent guides, whisk round Mogul Old Delhi (Shahjahanaracecourse is a delight, Meetings are usually held twice a week in February and March. The course is as immaculate now as when it was first moved to its present site in 1880, with gleaming green and white paintwork and flowerbeds planted with blossoming an-muals. The stylish rich of a driver - not nearly as extravagant as it sounds - to spend the afternoon visiting

between races. An afternoon wandering the busy markets is just as enjoyable. No self-respecting Indian housewife would be seen bargaining for her chillis. She sends her servants, who harter, chat and jostle, getting the best price for their mistress and sometimes a cut for themselves or one of their numerous cousins. Flowers, fruit, meat and fish are sold at Crawford Market, over the entrance of which is a mural by Kipling's father, J. Lock-wood Kipling. Wood-carving, leather, linen and spices are found in Chos Bazaar and jewelry in Javeri Bazaar.

It is impossible to avoid the royal baths and the marble Pearl Mosque all glow at sunset. As darkness falls, these romanfilm industry in Bombay. Posters depicting the porky, fearsome hero and pouting, round-faced heroine, painted huge in vivid colours, look down from every wall. They promise a fairyland of colour, shows (firmly called "sound and light" by the Indians), recreat-ing the fort's history, recently modified to give less credit to love, intrigue and killing punctuated by song and dance. The formula is well-tried for commercial success.

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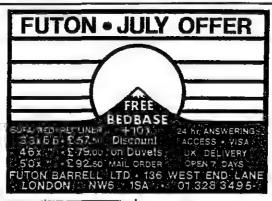
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For many years now I have appreciated the real point about flying it doesn't matter how mundane your destination, it is leaving the ground that is the event; and the impeccable, slightly formal, service contrives to make everybody feel important. Recently I sampled the cheap-rate weekend offer at Grosvenor House Hotel in Park Lane, London, and discovered you don't have to fly to enjoy the "celebrity experience".

The hotel had arranged babysitting for Friday and Saturday nights, but, not surprisingly with our 20-month-old son Jack in tow, what we had planned as a couple of lazy, feet-up days being pleasantly pampered became more hectic than hedonistic. And although the hotel's intentions were good, their preparations were not.

As we went up to our room, lack shot in, and made for the Regency grate piled high with chunks of amber glass – an upmarket version of Magicoal. He grabbed a chunk and began testing his fire-striking ability on the plate-glass coffee table.

However, we quickly came to appreciate the simple luxuries -the carnations floating in glasses on almost every surface; crisp cotton sheets and pillowcases instead of the plastic-mac almost unreserved admiration clamminess of (convenient). It is like eating in a stately home polycotton; a bath big enough as a house guest (seventeenthfor all of us to dip in together in century paintings from a Forte



that no wealthy alcoholic would suffer from night starvation. open now, and weekenders will

be able to use the Jacuzzi, 65 ft swimming pool, Nautilus training equipment, steam bath and sauna, and some of it free. We took afternoon tea in the

lounge, while a Paim Court trio played; scandalously calorific cakes and a smidgen of smoked salmon in a finger of white bread cost more than £5 a head - and was worth every penny. For Ninety Park Lane, the

propped up by a plump bolster, while your food is expertly revealed and wine decanted? Even the best cannot be flawless, and I have to point to several small weaknesses in the hotel's service. It seemed to us that the new computer card lock system counted for little when

could you lounge on a sofa

so many of the staff had kevs that triggered our lock; and they might have waited a mite longer after knocking, before entering. wheeled-in table billowing with Nine pounds a day parking is a snowy damask; and the "private bit steep, and I treated myself to bar", a fridge stocked to ensure possibly the world's worst £12 haircut in the hotel's barbershop. The trouble is, in Park Sadly the gym, then in the Lane, you feel a slob tipping throes of stylish refurbishment, anyone less than 50p. was out of bounds. But it is Mol Lowice Mel Lewis

The Grosvenor House Hotel, Park Lane, London W1 (499 6363), is offering "Great Deal" weekend packages at £65 a night for a double room, 255 a single. Children under 14 sharing a single room or a double room with two adults stay free. The price includes full English breakfast, VAT and service. Babysitting (our girl, the same one both nights, was excellent) is 22 an hour and £3 an hour after midnight. Dinner in the restaurant is from about £20 a head without wine. Or hotel's star restaurant we had you can eat more cheaply but well in the Pasta Vino e Fantasia. The Pavilion coffee-shop has a gourne carvery at £12 a head including a



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Buying garden furniture in this country is something of a celestial poker game. The minute you put all your money on the table the Great Rainmaker comes out with a royal flush. Which is why I never allow the word deckchair to cross my typewriter before late June. I reckon (without any statistical backing) that if it is not fine enough to get out the sun-lounger during Wimbledon, you have a poor chance of getting your money's worth during the rest of the summer.

The stores would like us all to believe that if we do not snap up the deck chairs before we turn off the central heating there will be nothing left. In practice, the only disadvantage in not making up your mind until the sun does it for you is that you may get caught in the preparations for the sales, which start earlier every year and make shopping for anything appropriate to the season as awkward as possible.

So at this stage of the summer I recommend the General Trading Company, who do not tarnish their image with anything as frenetic as a sale. Their new garden department is a delight - spacious and airy and overlooking the leafy patio where on a steamy day you can Street, London SWI, and can be stop for a salad and a glass of ordered. The whole range is iced coffee or peppermint tea available direct from the from the basement restaurant now run by Justin de Blank.

The department is the ideal setting for a new garden range designed for Green Brothers by Charles Verey, whose attitude to his craft is that of a painter rather than joiner. He sees furniture as a permanent feature of the landscape and his designs the most practical garden seats

Sitting pretty

Beryl Downing puts her money on a long

hot summer and her person

on garden furniture with a difference

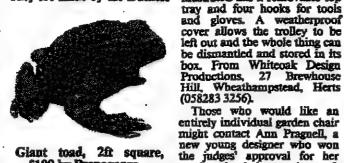
blend perfectly with the country Several have a distinctly Chinese Chippendale influence - the handsome lattice-back 6ft seat, for instance (£269.50) and the low, wheel-pattern table (£105). These and all the designs in the range are in solid teak, which can be dressed with oil to retain the original colour, but is best left to weather naturally.

is a faithful version of an Edwin Lutyens design originally made about 1913. It comes in a 5ft 6in size, but is more elegant in the gracefully curved seat illustrated, which is 8ft 6in long and costs £736.40. All the pieces mentioned are

to be seen at the General Trading Company, 144 Sloane Street, London SW1, and can be makers, Green Brothers, Hailsham, East Sussex, (0323 845414), who will send a brochure. Until August 31 their introductory prices are much less than those in the stores the Lutyens seat, for instance, is £495 including delivery.

are the white plastic-coated loungers that can be left out during the summer but will fold or stack for winter storage. The British-made range by Emu is good value and looks particularly smart in the bright green with diagonal white stripes that General Trading have had made up exclusively for them. Stackable chairs are £23.20 and

£49.75, reclining chairs £61.35 and reclining loungers £84.50. Liberty's sale starts on Monday, so the garden department has shrunk considerably, but there are still some examples of their new range of white painted, high backed, slatted chairs with strong overtones of the Arts and Crafts movement. They are made by the Duchess



Giant toad, 2ft square, £109 by Propaganza

are two styles, a

deckchair and a director's chair with padded patchwork up-holstery in a variety of colours and patterns with the wood frames stained to tone. Prices

Ann Pragnell will make up esigns and colours to order, you prefer to her at 9 Bailey Street, Netherfield, Nottingham (no telephone). Her chairs may be seen at Quest, 2 Smith Street, Dartmouth, in July.

Richard Stewart Liberty, exclus-For a finishing touch and as ively for the store. There are four items - a chair £155, sofa £215, table £225 and tub £95. summer is not summer without a little madness, how about the alternative garden gnome - a If you prefer a young, high-tech look, consider John Lewis's gigantic and extraordinarily revolting toad? He is 15in high, about 2ft square and is made of Italian range called, with no apparent relevance, Dallas. In bright yellow and white plasticfibre-glass, handpainted in the sort of mud-and-slime colours coated steel a relaxer chair costs other toads apparently find £49 with yellow cushions £19.50, a matching two-wheeled attractive.

This curiously fascinating creature - a sort of ET with warts is the creation of a talented display and exhibition designer, Ivon Monty, who has just launched a new company producing props for interior designers, stage and television sets and exhibitions. He specializes in the unusua

cover allows the trolley to be imaginative, not to say weird -Oberson's head growing out of a left out and the whole thing can branch of a tree, a nude lady chair whose lap is the seat. Everything is made to order at Productions, 27 Brewhouse prices from £55 to about £350 (the hamburger) and almost anything is possible in the fields of mural and scenic painting, fibreglass and soft sculpture. Propaganza is at The Studio, 1 Station Mews, London N3 (349) 4193 or 446 2176).

Oreopteris limbosperm, for-

appearance. On the underside

of the fronds are a series of

glands which offer a strong

lemony fragrance, this form does not like lime. Polypadium

vulgare Pulcherrimum, a form

of the common Polypody, up to 12in tall, is a good spreader. It

loves chalky areas and can be

found wild on walls and even

To complete the picture there

shrub and loves to be

is an even bigger fern to look to: Osmunda regalis or the "Royal fern". This is like a medium-

close to the waterside, where it will make a handsome speci-

men. By the way, its fronds each

spring are an eye-catching sight.

Prices vary according to size

up the bole of trees.

fair held at Warwick university recently.

There are two styles, a Theony safe place for me to picnic is in the middle of a car park dressed in a shroud. Otherwise the most tasty morsel on the menu is inevitably me. Any insect that bites zooms in on any bits of me I dare to

leave exposed. So far I haven't found a lotion that repels anything but people, but there is a battery operated gadget that you can attach to your belt. When switched on it emits a constant, fairly faint high-pitched tone that is supposed to be a death knell to mosquitoes, but I find the noise so irritating that I'd rather have the bites than a nervous breakdown, if you are made of sterner stuff, it is called a Mosiqui and costs £11.50 from Harrods. A new mesh mosquito screen to fit sash or horizontally sliding windows is a good idea for hot summer evenings, It is 12in wide and the length is adjustable een 2ft 2in and 4ft. You open

he window a little more than a foot, position the screen and slide the rindow back to hold it in place. dine is an old house and absolutely nothing is level, so the bugs managed to find their way through the cracks, but for those with modern sliding windows it could be a boon, it is called Green Screen and costs 27,99 from Army & Navy at Victoria, Selfridges,

Cross and Payless stores. Barkers, High Street Kensington, London W8, also have fine weave polyester marquisette net in their soft turnishing department which is handy for covering picnic and other food, it comes in two widths, 48in at £1.95 a metre and 60in at £2.95

Keeping cool

Wicker picnic hampers look spiendid in television commercials. but always seem to me to be more trouble than they are worth - and unless accompanied by a Rolls

SHOPFRONT on picnics

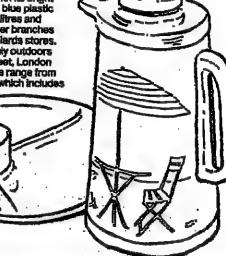
humping the hamper yourself. I prefer a cold box for the food and an open basket for the tablewere, it is easy to be misled into buying a cold box that is too big. True, you can get the wine in too, but it becomes so heavy that nobody can lift it. A smaller rigid cold box (they keep the food cooler for longer than the soft ones) and a separate wine cooler is a better balance. John Lewis branches (excent Windsor) have Gio' Style cool boxes - the small one is called model 15 at £9.95; the 20 at £13 and 25 at £17.50 will take bottles

Treen are £19. Those with particularly thirsty families might like to consider the

Alaskan Cooler jug with its bright yellow or Wedgwood blue plastic casing. It holds eight filtres and costs £7.95 from larger branches of Boots and from Hillards stores. Or for drinking stylishly outdoors Liberty's, Regent Street, London W1. have an attractive range from France called Alpac, which includes pale pastels at £19.95, with tablements to match at £2.85 each and trays at £7.95.

"Ring le

There aren't any dramatic strides in plonicware design that year, but Selfridges have an tableware in plain bright red in their kitchen gadgets department. The range is called Pomona and plates are £2.05, fruit dishes £1.15, cups and saucers £1.80, mugs 95p. Or for picnics or any outdoor party or feta there is a splandid new ide (filustrated), it is a three-seamer drught with a hole for your thumb and a place for a cup or wine glass in the middle, it comes in red, yellow, blue or green in packs of four for £4.95, with matching cups £4.40 for four, from Liberty, Regent Street, London W1, or direct including postage from the Thumb Waiter Company, 26 Market Place, Warwick (0926 498226).



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trolley is £69 and there are

things to hand for a barbecue, a

garden trolley with wheels is a

useful dump-all. The one illustrated has a removable top

If you never have the right

several other chairs and tables.

In praise of the shady lady

The best time to buy ferns is fronds. Ferns are either creepclump-forming plants; they need somewhat different conditions but do not vary much in their cultivation. Ferns available include

Dryopteris filix-mas, known as the "male fern". It becomes a big plant with the fronds sometimes reaching 5ft tall, making it probably too big for the small garden. It does well in most soils and likes to be shaded, as do all of this group. Why male fern? Probably because it is strong and robust, while 'Athyrium filix-femina is known as the "lady fern" on account of its delicate, airy-looking fronds, and although tall has that insubstantial look about it. The lady must have moisture and grows best situated close to a stream, pool or reach 3ft if the moisture content bog; its fronds can be almost 4ft is right, but it does not like limy high under good conditions

Asplenium scolopendrium or the "harts tongue fern" is a great favourite of mine. It has large single fronds that are not divided at all, but are crinkled at the edges, which makes its common name so apt. The fronds can be up to 2ft long; it makes a striking plant when used with the pinnate leaved varieties. Easy to grow (hence its popularity) not only in the garden but also as a pot plant, it may be found under its old name, Phyllitis scolopendrium.

broad buckler fern", is one "hard fern" is another robust

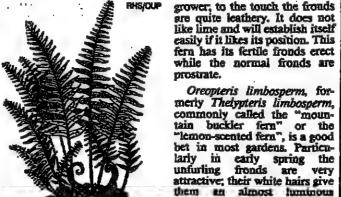
Song of India

Pleomele reflexa variegata has narrow leaves which are edged with bright yellow. Although related to the *Draceenas* it is different; its stems are wiry and they do not grow in rigid conformity.

Pleamele needs warmin and good light, it is a slow grower and must not be overwatered, it does not like

root disturbance and should not be repotted more than is necessary. Its common name is "Song of India" - where the plant originates As it grows it will usually shed its lower leaves. However, this only adds to its beauty as the stem bends and twists as it grows

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Polypodium valgare: Best in moist soil, facing north

reach quite a good size and is a useful plant to add interest in an reach 3ft if the moisture content

Asplenium trichomanes has the kind of fronds one usually associates with ferns; known as the maidenhair spleenwort, it has pinnae in pairs the full length of the frond. Much viously mentioned ferns this plant reaches no more than 9in tall and usually much less, so is suitable for a rock garden in a soil which is deep and moist with some lime content. The fronds are light green in contrast to the darker green of Dryopteris dilatata, the, named. Blechnum spicant or the

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DRINK

Pitfalls of a prize vintage

grower, to the touch the fronds are quite leathery. It does not like lime and will establish itself perfect, with an early flowering casily if it likes its position. This producing lots of grapes, which, with the warm sunny days in July and August, ripened well; but it was a fortnight of exceptionally hot weather in early September that actually pushed the '82 clarets into the

earlier this year to see for

My conclusion was that yes this bumper harvest - some 3.5 million hectolitres of red appelation contrôlée wine - bad produced some very fine wine indeed. Christian Moneix of the revered Château Petrus told me that 1982 was the "best vintage since '61 for Bordeaux" adding that it " won't be as concentrated as the '61s", a view shared by Peter Sichel of Château Palmer. Nathaniel Johnston, a respected Bordeaux merchant, emphatically stated that the '82 was "a superb year especially for the top châteaux. He went on to say that with the petit châteaux selection is vital.

And this is important for the

lesser '82 wines are a bit of a mixed bag and what the grapevine neglected to pass on last autumn is that heavy rain started on October 4 in Bordeaux, when there was roughly 10 per cent of the crop still to be harvested.

sufficient cooling equipment, ended up with very poor wine.

But perhaps the most alarming aspect is the staggering 50 per cent increases on '81 prices. Not content with this hefty Scarcely had the wine fin-ished fermenting than those all have followed Latite's lead, and too familiar French cries of priced up by a cool 70 per cent "vintage of the century" and on '81. In order to secure these "better than the '61s" were inflated prices, the majority of heard - and that was why I decided to go out to Bordeaux and released a fraction of their usual first tranche.

So no one could pretend the top '82 châteaux are a good buy - especially when a bottle of Lafite en primeur is likely to cost £30 or more. However, at the next step down there are some superb wines at more reasonable prices, and from these I recommend Cos d'Es-tournel, a real '82 star buy, Léoville Las Cases, Grand Puy Ducasse and Figeac In Bor-deaux, Talbot, La Lagune and Lynch Bages all looked good and at a recent London tasting Ducru Beaucaillou, Petit Villag.

es and Montrose were excellent.
As always, when buying en
primeur make certain you go to a reputable wine merchant, who will still be around when your wine is finally delivered, in autumn '84 or spring '85. The wines named are £60-£100 per case and expect to pay at least £15 a case extra for shipping, duty and VAT. For most of the wines listed

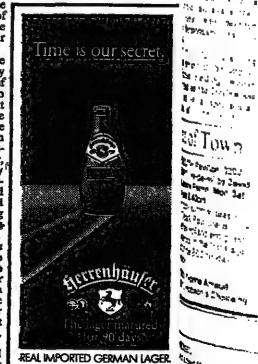
above Henry Townsend, Chalk

heat in September without House, Whitchurch Lane, Bristol. Adnams, Sole Bay Brewery, Southwold, Suffolk: Lay & Wheeler, 6 Culver Street West Colchester, Essex; and Laytons, 20 Midland Road, London NWI, also stock several of these

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Anniversary couple and a Ring losing its lustre

Perhaps one should not raise one's expectations so high Last year there arrived from Eurodisc a Rheingold of strong splendour to what the appetite, and then a quite astonishingly full, rich and grandly dramatic Walkfare. The Siegfried now added to the cycle perpetuates many of the fine qualities already indicated: in particular, it provides another feast of excellent playing from the Dresden orchestra, who never take anything for granted, and a further instalment in Marck Janowski's vision of the Ring as majestic expression imposing always alertness to detail, clarity of texture and unpressed forward movement. As before, the absence of "personality" in the conducting, by comparison with other famous versions, makes it possible for the music to execute its own drama, and it often seems that the feeling is most powerful and urgent when

no voices are singing.
Unfortunately this is especially the case in a Siegfried of more dubious vocal accomplishment than the preceding Walkitze. There are no worries about René Kollo's Siegfried, singing in green and golden youth, much more a poet than a tough gay: this is quite possibly the best thing he has done on record, and the long lines are there quite as decisively as the sudden lyrical ejaculations. But around him all is not quite so

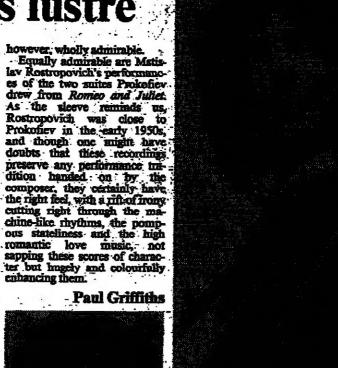
Theo: Adam's Wandere could hardly be matched for understanding - and there is a lot in this opera for the Wanderer to understand - but his shortness of breath keeps him from any long-term phrasing of question and demand. Jeannine Altmeyer's Brunnhilde suffers from the same fault. Together they had brought the Walkure to a thrilling conclusion: separated here, they seem to have moved on too little

However, there are things to admire among the rest of the cast. Peter Schreier is a surprising choice as Mime, but an inspired one. Like Mr Adam, beautifully and with no One tries to calm one's the singers and they with one expectations of the Gotter- another. dammening, aiready recorded.

Wagner: Slegified, Soloists, Dresden Staatskapelle/Janowski, Eurodisc 301 810-485 (five records) as: Violin Concerto, Kramer, Vienna PO/Becnstein, DG 2532 088 Prokofley: Romeo and Juliet, soites 1-2 National SO/ Rostropovich. DG 2532 087

Violin Concerto from two unlikely collaborators: Giden Kremer and Leonard Bernstein. In fact the combination of extreme fineness and breadth works rather well, and it is fascinating to observe Kremer adapting Bernstein's generous phrasing to his own purposes when he has to. There is also, as in Kremer's recent recording of the Beethoven concerto, an unusual choice of cadenza: not a new one this time but Reger's Prelude in D Minor from his Op 117 spliced into the first

I regret this Reger piece is unknown to me, and I have not been able to locate a copy of it, but unless Kremer has revised it surprising number of memories of the Brahms concerto, quite enough to make it a very plausible cadenza were it not a shade long and even in tone. The principle of trying some-



Classical trio from left: Agues Baltsa, a witty Rosina; Julian Lloyd Webber, delving in English cello archives; violinist Jacques Thiband

continuo and a careful match-The French label Harmonia Monteverdi: 1) Ballo delle Ingrate. ing of articulation of phrasing Mundi is now rivalling our own Oiseau-Lyre Florilegium label Lagrime d'amante. Les Aris Florissants/William Christie. make the lines come together. Without the wobbly, bulging Harmonia Mundi France HM 1108 sounds which disfigure other Sigismondo d'India: Eighth book of madigrais 1624. The Consort of recordings of this masterpiece. Musicke/Anthony Rooley, Olseau-Lyre Florilegium digital DSDL 707 Barbara Strozzi: Cantatas, Judith the ensemble can project its passions and torments with a clean edge that enhances im-measurably the music's impact. Nelson, Concerto Vocale. There are admirably clean

as a provider of imaginatively programmed, well produced recordings of early music. The ensemble Les Arts Florissants. which is supported by the French government and is due to make its first appearance here later this year, has made an impressive series of records: the recent and most ambitious is this Monteverdi disc coupling the mini-opera Il Ballo di Ingrate with the maxi-madrigal Lagrime d'amante. Both works were published in Monteverdi's madrigal books, but the soloistic declamation of the former contrasts strongly with the choral declamation of the latter.

Il Ballo is done on a large

Harmonia Mundi France HM 1114 Marin Marais: La Gamme. Sonate à la Maresienne, London Baroque Harmonia Mundi France HM 1105 scale, with double the number

Eloquent madrigals with

a clean vocal edge

of instruments Monteverdi specifies (he suggested the doubling for a large room. surely and unnecessary device for a domestic recording). The instruments have been rather distantly, fuzzily recorded, but this only serves to highlight the interplay of voice and continuo, which is splendidly managed. Some of the great set-pieces, such as Piuto's aria, are crisply done; elsewhere some individual voices are not quite equal to the demands made on them,

In the Sestina (that is, a sixpart madrigal cycle) Lagrime d'amante, the same singers make an incomparably stronger effect. Because each is a soloist they can project the lines with character and strength; yet the firm controlling hand of the

book art, but also a beautifully

in the Sussex Fantasia

scaled piece in its own right,

originally written for Casals,

melodies dart unpredictably in

this year's Brahmsfest comes in

a new boxing together of the Quartetto Italiano's 1968 and

1971 recordings of his Op.51

and Op.67 Quartets, though the

latter is available, too, on a newly reissued mid-price single disc, twinned with Schumann's

F major Quartet, Op.41 No.2.

The scoop in the box is the

Piano Quintet with Maurizio Pollini, hijacked from an earlier

DG recording of 1980. It is freshly and stimulatingly

thought through, strongly and

lucidly worked out, and with

one of the most compelling

In the same reissued Musica

da camera series as the Brahms/Schumann disc, the

Quartetto Italiano also present

three of Boccherini's Quartets.

They faithfully reveal both the

delicate but bright and distinc-tive light and movement of the

Scherzos I know on record.

Yet another contribution to

mondo d'India. These virtuosic, brilliant pieces, which suddenly whip up the most striking dissonances from a line of text, surely require a more soloistic treatment. The Consort has decided to treat them as ensemble pieces, and though the matching of the lines and tuning is impeccable, there are times when these light, crisp voices cannot quite match the demonstrativeness of the music.

edges and vibrato-less sounds.

too, on the Consort of Musicke's interestingly cou-

trasted recording on Florile-gium of madigals by Montever-

di's later contemporary Sigis-

Godea del sol i rai almost defeats them, though the climax is thrilling, but I loved the intense clashes of Lidia te lasso. and the sustained eloquence of the five-part madrigal cycle on side one, where d'India almost approaches the opera he never. Two further revelations from

French Harmonia Mundi are the remarkable cantatas and laments of the singer and composer Barbara Strozzi (who published her music a generation after d'India) and the viol music of Marin Marais. The Strozzi pieces, with their wild chromaticisms and expressionistic devices, are sung with a deft feeling for their eccen-tricities by Judith Nelson; I especially enjoyed the languorargenti. The Marais is another piece which seems lunatic at first glance and offers up its rewards only after a while. La Gamme en forme de petit opéra is a strange, very long fantasy on the notes of the scale, parodying Italian forms with

It is played by London Baroque; when I heard the group play part of this piece in public. I thought it dull and the playing insufficiently projected. But heard again in this close. sensitive recording, the players' clarity of articulation and careful matching of bow-stroke with musical phrase, of dance-tempo with rhythmic movement, make the music spring to life. La Gamme is really an encyclopaedic anthology baroque forms, and as such is immensely rewarding; the playing is strongly characterized.

Nicholas Kenyon

Marriner's impressive sortie

At a time when so much recording of Italian opera seems a matter of perming four singers from a regular pool of 10 or so it is a delight to welcome Philips's new Barber this month. The team has been assembled with flair and imagination, spiced with a little adventure. Not only has the company gone for the rising generation of artists, it has also picked a conductor new to opera, Neville Marriner. He has, of course, made records for Philips by the cartload, but his operatic contribution stopped where the singing

His performance with the he is of course a singer of great orchestra of the Academy of St intelligence and also one of keen Martin-in-the-Fields is so fresh artistry, he shows for once how and lively that it is extraordiin this role ugliness can be sung nary that to date he has not ventured beyound the overloss of meaning, rather an tures. But the style that he gives intensification. The set is, all in Rossini's score suggests that all, a more uneven achievement there will be new career than its predecessors, but it still opportunities opening out, not has more than enough of good least because of the ease with new sense to recommend it. which he appears to work with

Agnes Baltsa's Rosina has all

Baitsa / Araize / Allen / Trimarchi / Lioyd. Academy of St Martin / Martiner. Philips 6769 100 (three records), cassetta 7654 100 . -

total femininity. This Rosina is going to be a match in intelligence and wit for Francis-Araiza's Count, which combines hauteur and sweetness. Philips have probably caught him at just the right point in his career, as the voice is beginning to darken and we are likely to find Araiza taking on heavier roles. Thomas Allen in the title part is all quicksilver definess with no exaggeration and Robert Lloyd's Basilio has a masterly comic touch. Dome-nico Trimarchi's Bartolo, also excellent, is the one Italian home-grown element in the cast, although that would have been difficult to guess on a blind hearing. The minor roles are only moderately performed. But no matter, this Burber goes straight into the top division of available versions.

Three months ago Paul Griffiths welcomed in the Wagner's partner in this year's ized her recent Covent Garden compact disc on this page and to pay the extra for compact anniversary walfz, there is a Carmen, The voice is not hope, after four weeks of listening on hew recording of Brahms's but it has a cutting edge and a Sony player, courtesy of that

John Higgins

company, I can only endorse all his enthusiasm. The machine is exceedingly easy to handle and install, even by a mechanical fumblefingers such as myself. The only initial hiccup was a pause between tracks - irritating to have to reactivate play when you are putting the sound through speakers in another room - but this was cleared by the simple means of switching the Pause button to off.

Marriner is much in evidence again in the new batch of compact releases, with Mozart's Concertgebouw (Philips 400 074 2) is somewhat older, but none the worse for that. DG have just begun simultaneous release on conventional disc. cassette and compact including this month Bernstein and the L.A. Philharmonic compiling Gershwin's Rhapsody in Blue with the West Side Story dances. Bernstein and Gershwin have always gone well together. A stunning record (DG 410 025-

Glints from dusty corners

Electrical recording is younger than we sometimes think. But within a year of its introduction in 1925 HMV had got their hands on the trio of Alfred Costot, Jacques Thibaud and Pablo Casals, and their complete chamber recordings are now reissued on two discs.

Through the scratches, off joins and limited tynamic scale comes their finely spun, miniaturists reading of Hayda's Piano Trio No 25, pellucid with Cortot's fingerwork and sweetened by the spider's web portamento of Thibaud, Casal's piano concertos K450 and portamento of Thibaud Casal's K467, with Brendel at the keyboard outstanding (Philips 400 018-2). Colin Davis's in B flat is awonder of ripe L'Oiseou du feu with the understatement, while his long legato opening in the Mendelssohn D minor Trio heralds the most fluent and spontaneous performance of the entire set.

Paul Tortelier has pnearthed particularly attractive set of Saint-Saens trascriptions from opera, orchestral and instrumental works, which he plays with a shrewd understanding of the composer's robust yet romanticism. There is the inevitable Carnival Swan, an ardent, though re-strained account of Dahle's John Higgins and a delightfully mischievous interesting example of sketch-

Cortot/Thibaud/Casals. The Complete Recordings 1926-8.

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rapport with Maria de la Pau's pinao playing in the "Dance of the Priestesses of Dagon". It is complemented by Saint-Saens's Jonata No 1, full-blooded music played with fervent, earthy energy. From bright French sunlight

to English haze, as Julian Lloyd Webber continues his worthy burrowing into neglected, no-tably English, corners of the cello repertoire. After a valuable recording of Frank Bridge's Oration, he now presents, twinned with the Delius Concerto, the world premier recordings of Holst's Invocation and Vanghan Williams's Fantasia on Sussex Folk Tunes. Holst's

Op.6 and the more boldly individual voice of the Op.58. Hilary Finch

PREVIEW Theatre Chance for Steele to shine in the Rain

Almost every successful stage musical has been turned into a film but Singin' in the Rain, which opens at the Londos Palladium on Thursday, pro-vides a much rarer example of the process being reversed.

Not only that, but an entially American subject is being given its world stage premiere in Britain, with a mainly British cast and a star, Tommy Steele, who belongs more to Bermondsey than to

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They are

Singin' in the Rain is a long cherished major cherished project of the impre-sario, Harold Fielding, whose previous raid on the Hollywood classics led to a spectacular production of Gone With the

Out of Town

ECURNEMOUTH: Pavilion (0202 25861/296811). Hi do-Hil by David Croft and Jimmy Pennin Mon-Set at 6.10pm and 8.40pm A long and busy summer season for Simon Cadell, Paul Shane, Ruth Madoc, Jeffrey Holland and guest star Ben Warries, in the first stage production of the BBC holiday

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Though noted primarily for his.

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OLIVER MESSE

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With a cast of 40, and 16 set pastiche, nor even an American changes causing headaches at a accent. Both his character and theatre where space backstage that of Cosmo - Donald is at a premium, Fielding's new. Castle in the show - have been pensive. It will depend heavily on Steele, who is not only the leading man but also dire

Familiarity should help: Steele knows the film so well that he can recall it song by song and step by step. He describes his part as "the song dance man's Ha straight actors yearn to play the Prince of Denmark, so all hoofers want to be Gene Kelly. But Steele, who once danced

with Kelly on American tele-

Harold Brighouse. Mon-Fri at 7.45pm, Sat at 5pm and 5pm; matines Thurs at, 2.30pm The classic comedy about manipulated marriages, timid husbands and power politics in the

LIVERPOOL: Everyman (051 708 4776). A True Romance by Jimmy McGovern, music by Rick Jukes and Vic Christian. Until July 9, Tues-Bet at Born An apparently typical pak of Liverpudian newlyweds progress towards maturity after a changed from American vande-villians into English music hall

will be as in the original. Lina Lamont of the cornerake voice is played by Sarah Payne, whose other West End musicals seclude Barmum and Annie. Danielle Carson, formerly of the Second Generation dance group, takes the Debbie Reynolds part.

The stage show has no equivalent of the Cyrl Charisse

catalogue of disasters. Directed by Pip Broughton, with Mark McGaran and Angela Catheral. SCARBOROUGH: Stephen Joseph (0723 70541). Close Ties by Elizabeth Diggs, June 30 and July 1 at 7.45pm. In repertory Well-received American drama about a matriarch who struggles against old age but gradually

STRATFORD: Royal Shakespeare (0789 295623). Tweltih Night. June 28 at 7.30pm; matinés June 30 at 1.30pm

AS YOU LIKE IT

songs have been retained. including "Fit As a Fiddle". until end of Aug Not just a pretty production (Victorian maidens and Thomas you can do the rain", the designer, Terry Parsons, was told, "you have the job". Gene Kelly sploshing his way down that MGM street is one of the lardy rustics) but a sensitive,

most exhibitating sequences in the cinema and Palladium audiences will expect nothing Peter Waymark

Singin' in the Rain: opens at the London Palladium (437 7373) on Thurs at 7pm, then Mon-Sat at 7.30pm with matiness Wed and Sat

Directed by John Caird, with Miles Anderson, Gemma Jones, John Thaw, Zoë Wanamaker, Daniel Massey, Emrys James.

Julius Cassar. July 1 at 7.30pm; matinée today at 1.30pm Directed by Romaniels, with Joseph O'Conor, David Schoffeld, Gemma Jones, Emrys James. Henry VIII. Today and June 29 at 7.30pm; All continue in repertory Directed by Howard Davies, with Richard Griffiths, Gernma Jones,

John Thaw.

Critics' choice

Open Air, Regent's Park (486 2431) June 27-29 at 7.45pm; matinee June 29 at 2.30pm. In repertory

intelligent one, that, in its natural woodland setting, makes a magic summer evening. Louise Jameson's lovely Rosalind holds the high comedy and the pathos in (Orlando) proves a champion wrestler and David William is a

BEETHOVEN'S TENTH Vaudeville (636 9966) Mon-Sat at Sprn; metine 2.45pm, Sat at 4.30pm Ludwig's posthumous visitation to the home of a pompous London music critic gives Peter Ustinov a starting-point for a literate, if

confused, cornedy, ranging over topics like the generation gap, Beethoven's mistresses, and his experiences since death. Very variable, but the best bits are himself as the tetchy, outrageously mischievous composer, gives the sort of performance for which one would sit through a great deal.

DAISY PULLS IT OFF Globe (437 1592) Mon-Sat at 8pm; m Spm, Sat at 5pm Denise Deegan's straight-faced recreation of a 1920s girls' school all prize poems, hockey matches and Empire-building values - send the world of Angela Brazil straight up and over the top. Thoroughly

EDMUND KEAN Haymarket Theatre Boyal Mon-Set at 7.30pm. For a short

wholesome.

Infinitely subtler than his recent TV version, Ben Kingsley's solo performance as the great nineteenth-century tragedian is one of the finest feasts of acting in London. Raymund FitzSimons's

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script carries him from starving obscurity through Drury Lane triumcia to a drunken death with style and an astringent sense of

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Glasgow with sharp accuracy and humour. Giles Havergal's cleverly non-realistic production is a work of art in itself, without detracting from the whole as a deeply moving and still relevant study of sexual

relations under heavy economic

PEER GYNT The Pft, Barbican Centre (628 8796) June 27, 28, July 1, at 7.30pm. In

imply but thoughtfully staged by Ron Danlets, this pocket-size Peer is suprisingly successful and enjoyable. David Rudkin's acting version transposed into Uister speech is richly poetic and persuasive, and Derek Jacobi's successive personae as blameying country wild-boy, opulent entrepreneur and fearful greybeard are convincing even in close-up.

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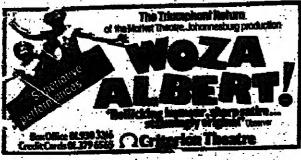
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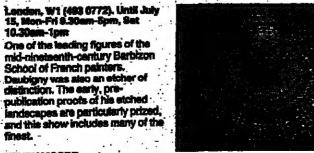
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PREVIEW Galleries

Mask of a monarch: Oliver Messel's study of Queen Elizabeth I is at the V&A

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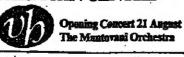
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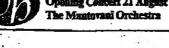
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PREVIEW Films







Starry-eyed: Natassia Kinski (left) as Leila in Francis Coppola's musical One from the Heart; Jennifer Beals (right) stars in Flashdance as the dancer who works as part-time welder to finance her ambition (see Thursday, Week Ahead, page 8); centre: A bewigged James Fox and Mick Jagger in Nicolas Roeg's 1968 Performance (Films on TV)

Artifice succeeds apocalypse

began at \$12m and finally reached \$31m.

As the films grew larger, so did Coppola's activities. After several ventures into independent production, he staked his vegas's streets, casinos, airport and desert are denigred in the staked his vegas's streets, casinos, airport and desert are denigred in the staked his vegas's streets, casinos, airport and desert are denigred in the staked his vegas's streets, casinos, airport and desert are denigred in the staked his vegas's streets, casinos, airport and desert are denigred in the staked his vegas's streets, casinos, airport and desert are denigred in the staked his vegas's streets, casinos, airport and desert are denigred in the staked his vegas's streets.

Critics' choice

National Film Theatre until June 30

The NFT's tribute to this civilized

and endearing director concludes on June 30 with his remarkable

suspense. Also showing: an exotic Fernandel vahicle, Ali Baba (June

25, 26); the splendidly mounted Les

Aventures d'Arsène Lupin Liune

27) and Montpamasse 19 (June 28) - a decent stab at the life of

Gate Bloomsbury (837 1177/8402) István Szabó's austere, compelling

tale of emotional conflicts between

insight and excellent use of modest total is devastating.

two fugitives posing as man and wife in Nazi-occupied Hungary;

masterpiece of claustrophobic

Parison film, Le Trou, a

Modigliani.

CONFIDENCE (15)

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While our eyes survey the 1980. Renamed Zoetrope, the artificial Las Vegas wonderland of Francis Coppola's extravareant musical romance One from off-best actors, technicians and celluloid. the Heart, the mind cannot help the latest, most up-to-date

claim as a rogue Hollywood and desert are depicted in mogul by purchasing the Holly-gaudy, stylized colours and wood General Studios in March perspectives; every image and

resources that marked the director's Mephisto (made two

FANNY AND ALEXANDER (15)

Phoenix Oxford until July 5

Ingmar Bergman's amazing

(Oxford 512526)

in the century.

L'ARGENT (PG)

Lumiere until June 29 (836 0691)

London's chief cinematic pleasure:

evocation of life, joys and terrors,

staged with exceptional opulence, beauty and lightness of touch.

Traditional Bergman themes are

fortunes of a Swedish family early

The bleak story of a young man's

drift towards crime, based on Tolstoy and presented with all the

director, Robert Bresson, can muster. Action and human feelings

deftly woven into the mixed

Camden Plaza (485 2443)

are all pared to the bone: 1

Yet in the months since the

the Heart, the mind cannot help mailing over the extraordinary twists and turns of the director's career. Coppola began 20 years ago with the cheap and tawdry: a pornographic item called showpiece. Contract actors are pornographic item called Tonite for Sure. Films like You're a Big Boy Now and Finian's Rainbow established his credentials as one of Hollywood's liveliest new-comers. Then, with the success of The Godfaher, Coppola put the item called production and developments. Then, with the success of The Godfaher, Coppola put the item called call production and developments. Then, with the success of The Godfaher, Coppola put the item called call production and developments. Then, with the success of The Godfaher, Coppola put the item called call production and development. American premiere in January 1982, clouds of melancholy irony have enveloped One from the Heart was clearly designed as the studio stablished showpiece. Contract actors the Heart. Disappointing financial returns forced Coppola to offer Zoetrope studio space for sale, and the whole complex is now at the mercy of the auctioneer's hammer as Coppola for the banks and stock-holders perform fancy legal footwork trying to avert disastent ment's supervised shooting of the main choreographic set. Coppola, however, is not a man to sit still: one new film, (The Outsiders), is completed. Amother, (Rumblefish), is in the pipeline. The twists and turns of pipeline. The twists and turns of Coppola's career are far from

Geoff Brown

One from the Heart opens in London at the Lumlere cinema on June 30.

LE JOUR SE LEVE Academy 3 Oxford Street (437 8819) corporation's millions. With Peter Riegart, Burt Lancaster, Denis

Jean Gabin as a besieged murderer going through his last hours. A welcome revival of French fatalism, written by Jacques Prevert and directed by Marcel Carne in 1939; with Jules Berry and Arietty.

LOCAL HERO (PG) Classic Chelses (352 5096) Odeon Kensington (602 6644) Odeon Haymarket (930 2738) Berbican Cinema 1 until June 15 (628 8795)

Bill Forsyth perceives comedy as the virtue that makes the whole world kin and all men forgivable.

The plot is simple. Knox Off decides to build a refinery on a beautiful stretch of the Scottish coast, and dispatches a young executive to buy up a fishing village, Ferness. He is disconcerted to find, instead of conservators, a cinematic intensity its extraordinary greedily anticipating the

none more than his one-acter, The Browning Version, which is showing on Channel 4 this afternoon (2.45-4.25pm). It was directed, from Rattigan's own script, by Anthony Asquith in 1952 and contains a

The plays of Terence Ratti-gan have often made successful translations to the screen and

fine performance by Michael Redgrave as the humiliated schoolmaster coming to terms with personal and private In very different mood on LWT, TVS and Anglia tonight (10.45pm-12.15am) is the 1979

(10.45pm-12.15am) is the 1979 BBC1 is showing The Killers, version of Dracula. Frank directed by Don Siegel in 1964, Langella is the vampire count, from the Hemingway story with Laurence Olivier as Van about two hired assassins and

Songs by Rodgers and Hart.

The Marion Brando season continues on BBC2 tomorrow (10.55pm-lam) with one of his broken Arrow is worth catching on Tuesday as one of the first Westerns to be sympathetic to the Indian cause. James Stewart

PAULINE AT THE BEACH (15) **Academy 2 Oxford Street** (473 5129)

Eric Rohmer's new film follows the fortunes of a young divorces (Arielle Dombasie) who encounters an old flame on a seaside holiday and begins a romance with his

SOPHIE'S CHOICE (15) ABC Edgware Road (723 5901) ABC Fulham Road (370 2636) THE PLOUGHMAN'S LUNCH (15) Gate Notting Hill until June 29 Empire Leicester Square (437 1234) (221 0220/727 5750) Gate Bloomsbury (837 1177/8402) Striking cinematic debut by stage and TV director Richard Eyrs: a subtle portrait of post-Falklands Britain, built around a radio commitment. William Styron's novel about the life and friands of a

ournalist with shady morals, Ian McEwan's intelligent script is bolstered by fine location photography (Clive Tickner). With nathan Pryce, Tim Curry, Charlie

Films on TV

most compulsive performances in Elia Kazan's film of A Streetcar Named Desire, made in 1951. His unlikely leading lady is Vivien Leigh. Brando turns up again on Tuesday, (BBC2, 8-10pm)

making a rare tilt at comedy in and stars Janet Suzman and the 1956 film The Teahouse of Anthony Higgins. the August Moon as a Japanese interpreter trying to initiate American troops into the oriental way of life.

On Monday (9.25-10.55pm)

BBC1 is showing The Killers,

Helsing.
Tomorrow on Channel 4
(2.25-3.55pm) Al Jolson stars in
Hallelujah, I'm a Bum, a last film before moving on to musical of the depression era which is unusual in having rhyming dialogue. Directed in 1933 by Lewis Milestone, it has sones by Rodgers and Hart

Application of the depression and apparently willing victim.

Lee Marvin and Clu Gulager play the hitmen and making his last film before moving on to better things is Ronald Reagan.

Mid-morning (10.30am-noon) may be an odd time for Thames to be showing it, but Rodgers and Hart

RETURN OF THE JEDI (U)

Dominion Theatre (580 9562) Leicester Square Theatre (930 5252) Odeon Marble Arch (723

2011/2) The latest, ultra-sophisticated,

instalment of George Lucas's Star Wars saga, this third adventure describes the rebel commanders'

new attempt to combat the Galactic Emperor, Directed by Richard

Marquand, with Harrison Ford.

Not for the first time, a famous

novel is filmed with scrupulous

sensitivity but uncertain personal

holocaust survivor is distilled by director Alan J. Pakula into a series

of striking scenes that never finally

from Meryl Streep.

Peter Waymark Also showing Today: The Magnificent Seven

Ride! (1972), BBC1, 7.20-Spr. Tomorrow: Crcmweti (1970), BBC1, 1.55-4.10pm Monday: Flend Without a Face (1958), Thames, 11.30pm-12.50am Friday: Timeslip (1955), 11.20pm-12.55am

stars and the director, in 1950,

The Draughtsman's Contract.
a notable recent example of
British independent cinema

directed by Peter Greenaway, is on Channel 4 on Thursday (9.30-11.25pm). A fascinating

study of sexual manocuvres, it

is set in the seventeenth century

thriller and turns into an exploration of identity. Channel 4, Friday, 11.30pm-1.25am.

was Delmer Daves.

TOOTSIE (PG)
Barbican Cinema One from June
16 (628 8795)
Classic Cheisea (352 5093) Odeon Kensington (602 5644) Studio Oxford Circus (437 3300)

Warner West End (439 0791) Expert comedy about desperate actor Dustin Hoffman finding success and emotional turmoli as a female soap opera star. THE YEAR OF LIVING

DANGEROUSLY (PG) ABC Fulham Road (370 2636) ABC Shaftesbury Avenue (838 8861) Plaza Piccadilly Circus (437 1234) Peter Weir's flawed, striking, drama about an Australian journalist's confrontation with the

troubled Indonesia of 1965.

The information in this column was correct at the time of going to press. Late changes are often made and it is numbers given.

PREVIEW Music

Concerts

WHY INDEED? Today, 7.30pm, St James's, Piccadilly, London W1 The Icelandic soprano Gudrun Fridbjörn gives the British premiere of Sigurbjörnsson's song cycle The Village, which includes his famous setting of "Why are we born?" She also sings Grieg's Haugtusse cycle, icelandic folksongs,

SURGE ILLUMINAIRE Today, 7.30pm, St John's Smith Square, London SW1 (222 1061) The New London Singers sing Palestrina's Surge Illuminaire, Debussy's Trois Chansons de Charles d'Orleans, a Stanford Magnificat, a Rubbra Te Deum, and provide a rare opportunity for hearing Brahme's Fest und

Gedenkspruche. PAROLES TISSEES Today, 8.30pm, The Maltings, Snape, Suffolk (072 885 3543) As part of the Aldeburgh Festival's tributa to Lutoslawski's seventieth birthday the Britten-Pears

Opera

Peter Maxwell Davies's compelling

xamination of private and public

Cromwell, returns after 10 years to

the Royal Opera House this Wednesday. Edward Downes conducts, Ragnar Ulfung plays Taverner himself, with Raimund Herincx as the White Abbott, Sarah

Walker as Rose Parrows and a

This week, a choice of three

operas, if you can get hold of a ticket. Tonight and next Friday, Richard Strauss's Intermezzo is

conducted by Gustav Kuhn with a

Christine, John Pringle as Robert Storch and Elizabeth Gale as Anna.

conducted by Jane Glover, and on

Monday and Wednesday Trevor Nunn's new production of

cast including Felicity Lott as

Tomorrow Die Entfürung, now

Idomeneo. (0273 812411)

BERLIOZ IN NOTTINGHAM Opera North's new Crimean Beatrice and Benedict arrives at

the Theatre Royal this week,

Tuesday's performance is followed by a Freischütz on Wednesday end Elisir d'amor on Thursday.

strongly sung and acted.

BRITTEN IN BIRMINGHAM

Atter the Aldeburgh Festival's

successful production of The Turn of the Screw, Cannon Hill Music

Theatre are next in the running with

Britten's herrowing reworking of Herry James's "ghost" story. Birminghem Midland Arts Centre tonight and on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday.

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strong cast of young singers in the minor parts. (240 1066)

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Orchestra plays his Paroles Tissées and Double Concerto. They are framed by Britten's Sinfonietta Op 1 and Mozart's "Jupiter" Symphony.

MORE BRAHMS Tomorrow, 4.30pm, Adeline Genée Theatre, Lingfield Road, East Grinstand, West Sussex (034 287 532) They are still celebrating the 150th

anniversary of Brahms's birth in Lingfield Road, this time with the Henson Quartet playing his Quartet Op 51 No 1 and Julia Rayson joining in for the Clarinet Cuintet.

June 27, 1pm, St John's The Tuckwell Wind Quintet perform Milhaud's Cheminée du Roi René and Ligeti's Begatelles; then Nina Milkina replaces one of them for Mozart's Plano Quintat K 452. A delightful programme.

June 28, 7,30pm, Wigmore Hall, 36 Wigmore Street, London W1 (935 2141, credit cards 930 9232) Alexander Baillie, with Kathron

Tonight, Birmingham Odeon; Mon, Hammersmith Odeon, Queen Caroline Street, London W6 (748 4081); Tues, Hammersmith Palais, 242 Shepherd's Bush Road,

242 Snephero's cush road, London W6 (748 2812) The harsh textures of Fela Kuti's Afro-beat never quits caught on, but the gentler interlocked lines of

Surny Ade's brillant 17-piece orchestra seem to be achieving the long-awaited breakthrough for West African pop music. Many of those who attended his debut at

the Lyceum last year still go glassy-

Tonight, tomorrow and Mon, Earl's Court, Warwick Road, London SW5 (385 4255)

He has a new single mudging the number one slot, and the "sold out" notices are up at Earl's Court:

a warm homecoming, perhaps

Tonight and Mon-Sat, Ronnie Scott's Club, 47 Frith Street, London W1 (439 0747)

Marvellous unreconstructed Latin

big band music of the 1940s, with

Kicking off the Capital Festival

Cooper Clarke and reaches a climax on Tuesday with Nick Lowe and Paul Carrack and on Wednesday with Elvis "The Imposter" Costello. Tickets for the

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MACHITO

Sturrock at the piano, plays Elliot Carter's great Cello Sonata, Suk's Ballade and Serenade Op 3, and Beethoven's Sonatas Op 5 No 1 and Op 102 No 2.

PIECES OF WOOD June 29, 7.30pm, St John's The Royal College of Music Percussion Ensemble performs Steve Reich's Music for Pieces of Wood, Cage's Construction In Metal No 3, Varese's classic tonisation and gives the world premiere of Patric Standford's Talkyoku.

OF A ROSE June 29, 7.30pm, St James's, Piccadilly
The English Chamber Choir offers Of a Rose I Sing and Mater ora fillum by Bax (it is his centenary this year), Poulenc's Mass and

Schoenberg's Friede auf Erden. PITFIELD PROM July 1, 7,30pm, Free Trade Hall, Manchester (061 834 1712) Nothing if not varied is this Hallé

Prom conducted by Maurice

Handford, Besides Thomas

Percussion, it includes Barber's Adagio for Strings, Wagner's Flying Dutchmen Overture, Copland's Rodeo Dances, Ravel's Bolero, Sibellus's Finlandia and Grieg's Peer Gynt Suite. SHROPSHIRE LAD

Pitfield's Concertino for

July 1, 7pm, St John's The London College of Music Symphony Orchestra plays Butterworth's Shropshire Lad Rhapsody, Vaughan Williams's Oboe Concerto (sololst, Graeme Adams), Berlioz's Camaval Romain Overture and Dvořák's Symphony MARKEVITCH RARITY

July 1,745pm, Queen Elizabeth Hall, South Bank, London SE1 (928 3191, credit cards 928 6544) Chances of hearing Igor Markevitch's compositions are te but Charlotta Garriga with the London Soloists' Chamber Orchestra under David Josefowitz performs his Partita for piano and orchastra. The Allegri Singers take part in Bach's Magnificet and Mozart's "Coronation" Mass K

RENNES DANCE THEATRE

Bloomsbury (387 9629) June 27-July 9, weekdays at 7.30pm; matinée Sat at 3pm The enthusiastic reception of their West Country tour earlier this month has led to an unexpected London season. Gigi Caciuleanu's ballets are original and amusing, his dancers good. See them.

Manchester Palace (061 236 9922) today at 2.30 and 7.30pm. Colliseum (836 3161) June 27-July 23, weekdays at 7.30pm; matinée Sat at 2pm The Boston Ballet starts this year's

run with Nureyev in his Don Quixote until Saturday. After that come their Swan Lake and two programmes with Theatre HOUSTON BALLET

Sadler's Wells (278 8916) until July 2, weekdays at 7.30pm; matinee Sat at 2.30pm Today's programme includes Glen Tetley's Daphnis and Chloe with Ben Stevenson's Four Last Songs and Britten Pas de Deux.

Dance

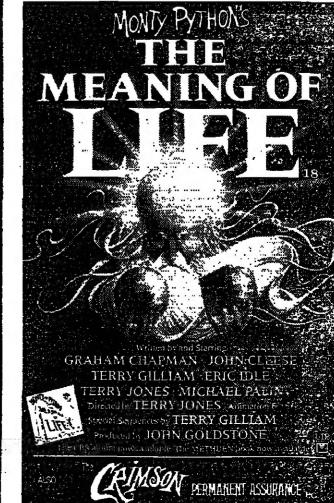
SECOND STRIDE Leeds Playhouse (0532 442111) today at 7.30pm. The Place (387 0031) June 29-July 2 at 8pm

Three new works: Richard Alston's The Brilliant and the Dark (Britten) and Java (The Inkspots), and one by Ian Spink.

SADLER'S WELLS ROYAL BALLET
Exeter, The Big Top (0392 211080)
today at 2.30 and 7.30pm.
Birmingham Hippodrome (021 622
7486) June 27-July 2 at 7.30 pm;
matinées Tues, Sat at 2.30pm End of the season: today, the new. Winter Play with Checkmate and La Boutique fantasque. Monday, Tuesday, Swan Lake. Wednesday, Thursday, Checkmate with Night Moves and Raymonda. Friday, next

Films: David Robiuson and Geoff Brown; Concerts: Max Harrison; Opera: Hilary Finch; Rock & Jazz: Richard-Williams; Dance: John Percival

Saturday, Coppelia.



ACROSS THE COUNTRY FROM JULY 7

soulful pub-rock. Tues, Murrayfield Stadium, Edinburgh; Fri-Sun, Milton Keynes Bowl Anyone who has taken the trouble and paid the money will be disposed to enjoy Bowie's current show, a bright and brittle gallop through virtually his entire musical history. I found it shallow and a bore. Icehouse, the Antipodean group specializing in Japan itations, appear at both venues; the Thompson Twins are added for Edinburgh, the Beat for Alphaville – whoops, Milton SUPERTRAMP Wed, Thurs, Earl's Court After these concerts, Supertramp's potent songwriting team will break up. Since they have given us a string of intelligent, enjoyable hit singles, that is cause for regret. **BRACKNELL JAZZ FESTIVAL** Fri-Sun, South Hill Park Arts Centre, Bracknell, Berks.

NOW PLAZA WAS ABC BAYSWAIR

Tonight, Commonwealth Institute, Kensington High Street, London W8 (608 4535); tomorrow, Queensway Hall, Dunstable; Mon, Hexagon, Reading: Tues, Brighton Dome.

Was it something in their infant diets that made the great soul stars of the early 1960s - Marvin Gaye, Smokey Robinson, James Brown, Curtis Mayfield - so durable? No opportunity to see any of them should be missed and, as

real trumpeters, a rhythm section that cuts the tancy stuff in favour of the flow, and a singer, Paula Grillo, who can turn Soho into pre-Castro Dingwalls, Camden Lock, Chalk Farm Road, London NW1 (which this year assumes a diasporte aspect) and also celebrating Dingwalls's tenth anniversary, a week of events begins tonight with Bad Marmers, continues tomorrow with John'

Don Cherry

Rock & Jazz latter have, not surprisingly, dried up; go along to hear Lowe and Carrack instead, for a dose of salty,

LEE KONITZ Tonight, The Canteen, 4 Great Queen Street, London WC2 (405 6598) A brilliantly probing musical mind,

honed by the great teacher Lennie Tristano, collaborates with three sympathetic British musicians – notably the seldom heard planist Bob Cornford. CURTIS MAYFIELD

Blowing up a storm:

Mayfield's visits are the least frequent, attendance is mandatory. The word is that his set includes "Move On Up", "Superfly", "People Get Ready" and other

favourites. **DAVID BOWIE**

(0394 27272) The ninth of these delightful at fresco events begins on Friday with the usual knees-up, this year conducted by Orchestra Jazira (highlife), Valdez (salsa) and Rip Rig & Panic, whose guest is the Rig & Panic, whose guest is the trumpeter Don Cherry – former cohort of Ornette Coleman and tather of Rip Rig's singer, Neneh Cherry. Saturday's bill features a dynamite behop group including Jackie McLean, Bobby Hutcherson and Billy Higgins, pkus an international big band under the beton of Graham Collier; Oregon, Bobby McFerrin. Ted Curson and Bobby McFerrin, Ted Curson and the long-lost West Coast tenorist Bill Parkins will be heard on the

PRUDENTIAL TROPHY: The cricket world cup final is being played before a packed house at Lord's. The West Indies, who won the previous competitions in 1975 and 1979, seem to possess more than enough batting and test bowling to make it a hattrick; but India have sprung several surprises and could just do so again. The match starts at 10.45 am; there is balf-by-ball commentary on Radio 3 (medium wave) and extensive television coverage on BBC1 and BBC2.

DONINGTON GOLDEN JUBILEE: Fifty years of the Derbyshire motor racing circuit are being celebrated in a special programme of races today and tomorrow. A highlight is the return of Stirling Moss, driving a Chevron sports car in a 20-lap, 40-mile race for exotic sports prototypes, GT cars and Can-Ams of the late 1960s. Other well known drivers taking part in the meeting are Derek Bell, three times winner at Le Mans, and the young "flying doctor", Jonathan Palmer. Ca Donington, Derby (0322 810048). Racing starts today at 12.20 pm (with coverage on ITV's World Of Sport and tomorrow

硬 FIDDLER ON THE ROOF: Topol, the original star, in a revival of the musical which was first seen in London in 1967. Music by Jerry Bock, production staged by Ruth Mitchell. Apollo Victoria (828 8665/834 0153), Previews today and Monday at 7.30pm. Opens Tuesday at 7pm. Monday to Saturday at 7.30pm; matinees on Thursday and Saturday at 2.30pm.

Tomorrow

MONDRIANS ON VIEW: Paintings from the collection of the New York architect, Armand P. Bartos, are being exhibited today, together with the contents of other forthcoming sales of impressionist and modern art. Clarice Cliff pottery and tribal art. The 17 paintings from the Bartos collection could go for £1m at the sale tomorrow (6.30 pm). Christle's, King Street, London SW1 (839 9060), 2-5 pm.

HUMPH AT 35: Humphrey Lyttleton, the most popular British jazz band leader of the post-war era, celebrates 35 years in show business with a special concert which also features Wally Fawkes and Kathy Stobart. The programme makes a musical journey through Humph's early revivalist period, to the popular eightpiece band of the 1960s and the dynamic mainstream band of today. BBC2, 9.15-

Monday

AFRICAN ART: Prince Sadruddin Aga Khan's collection of African art goes under the hammer today. The 73 lots, estimated to realize over £750,000, include an Ibo wood maternity figure, a Baham beaded chief's throne and a Bulom-Portuguese lvory salt-cellar.



Sotheby's, New Bond Street, London W1

"Y": The much-postponed and rewritten musical spectacular,

originally called "i" is scheduled

to open tonight. The Piccadilly Theatre

which stars Arturo Brachetti. Piccadilly

(437 4506). Monday-Saturday at 9pm, dinner from 7pm. After-show admission, with supper, midnight cabaret and disco,

a cast of five, including Barbara Flynn, Paul Freeman, Colette O'Neil.

Hampstead Theatre, Swiss Cottage Centre, London NW3 (722 9224). Opens tonight at 7pm. Monday to Saturday 8pm; matines on Saturday at 4.30pm.

WILD BEASTS AND LIVING PICTUPES:

Orchard Theatre are touring the West

Country with a show which brings back

region, 1895 - 1910, plus magic lantem,

dancing girls, clowns and acrobats. A tree half-hour outdoor show precedes

the main performance in the 300-seater

marquee. Castle Green, Barnstaple, Devon (0271 71475). Opens today at 8pm

(7.30pm for the free show). Tuesday to Saturday 8pm. Ends July 2, Moves for a week in each town to Bristol, Bodmin,

Sherborne, Taunton, Exmouth, Paignton

tightening of sports sanctions against

South Africa because of apartheid, this

programme looks at progress towards racial integration and asks whether such

measures are justified. Ron Pickering

visited South Africa and his report cover rugby, athletics, cricket, boxing and soccer. BBC1, 9.25-10.30pm. -

SPORT AND SOUTH AFRICA: As

a United Nations conference meets in London to discuss the

the world of pre-cinema travelling showmen. Film tootage shot in the

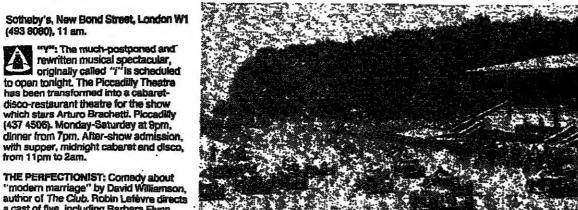
has been transformed into a cabaret-disco-restaurant theatre for the show

(493 8080), 11 am.

from 11pm to 2am.

Tuesday





Life in the fast lane: Humphrey Lyttleton, blowing hot revivalist jazz in pilot in the Second World War, which 1949 (top left), mainstream today (top right), celebrates 35 years of jazz (tomorrow): Donington Park's golden jubilee of racing features Stirling Moss and Derek Ball (see today)

Wednesday

NATWEST TROPHY: The minor counties get their chance in the first round of cricket's 60 overs knockout competition and among the would-be giant killers are Cambridgeshire, who take on Middlesex at Wisbech; Dorset, who play Essex at Bournemouth; and Lincolnshire, drawn

against the holders, Surrey. Play starts at 10.30 am. RICHARD CARLINE: Of late years known principally as Stanley Spencer's prother-in-law, Richard Carline was a painter of some distinction in his own right and an important figure in the organization of socially committed art in Britain during the 1930s. The memorial exhibition (he died in 1980) has more

than a hundred works, and fills in the

Saturday 11 am-5 pm (Friday 8 pm),

ON YOUR BIKE: One hundred years of cycling are represented in today's sale. The earliest bicycle dates from the reign of George III: it has a wooden frame and fron supports and is known as a pedestrian hobby horse bicycle (22,000-£3,000). Other machines include an 1860s boneshaker velocipede (2750-21,200), two pennyfarthings (£850-£875 each) and an Edwardian Dursley-Pedersen (2500-£700). Phillips, Blenheim Street, London W1 (529 6602). Noon.

UNDERGROUND: Michael Sloan's new thriller stars Raymond Burr, with Affred Marks, Peter Wyngarde, Elspeth March and Linda Hayden and is directed by Simon Williams. The plot concerns 12 people trapped on a stalled Underground train. Prince of Wales (930 8681). Previews today and tomorrow at 8 pm; background absorbingly, too. Camden
Arts Centre, Arkwright Road, London
NW3 (435 2643). Until July 24, Monday to
Previews today and tomorrow at 8 pm;
Friday and Saturday at 6 pm and 8.40
pm. Opens July 4.

Thursday

MENLEY ROYAL REGATTA: Starts today with the prefiminary rounds for the school, college and chib events and concludes on Sunday with the finals of the big international races. The outstanding crew at the Regatta is likely to be the Swiss coxiess four, which after its gold medal in the world championship, should retain the Steward's Challenge Cup. The women' invitation events have been withdrawn after a two-year experiment. Henley-on-Thames, Oxfordshire. Racing begins today and Saturday at 9am, tomorrow at 9.30am and Sunday at noon.

BATTLE OF BRITAIN: The log book kept by Wing Commender Robert Stanford-Tuck, a fighter overs his entire fighting career from 1935 to 1954, is lot 652 in the sale of books, sutograph letters and manuscripts today (estimate £20,000-£30,000). Sotheby's Bloomfield Place. New Bond Street, London W1 (493 8080), 10.30am and 2.30pm.

FLASHDANCE Film about a beautiful working girl who finds release from reality at night as a "flashdancer". Starring Jennifer Beals and Michael Nouri, Music by Irene Cara. Cert 15. Empire 1 (437 1234).

KING OF COMEDY: Martin Scorsese's film of a fan of a chat show host who is obsessed with getting a guest spot on his show and eventually kidnaps his idol to realize his ambition. Starring Robert De. Niro and Jerry Lewis. Cert PG. Gate Notling Hill (221 0220/727 5750). Screen on the Hill (435 3366).

ONE FROM THE HEART: Opening of Francis Coppola's new film. (See page

TENDER MERCIES: Bruce Beresford's film of the relationship between a singer who has lost out to his own fame and a woman widowed in the war. Starring Robert Duvali and Tess Harper. Cert PG. ABC Shaftesbury Avenue (836 8861) and ABC Fulham Road (370 2636).

station of the classic MGM musical (see page 5).

ANNIE WOBBLER: Arnold Wesker directs a new play written by him for Nichola McAulifie, who plays all three roles: a. charlady/tramp, a young student and a 45-year-old novelist. Birmingham Repertory Theatre (1021 326 4455). First preview today at 7.45pm. Opens July 5. Monday to Friday at 7.45pm Saturday at 3.45pm.

FAR FROM HOME: By the outbreak of the Second World War, 55,000 people had fled to this country from Nazi Germany, Austria and Czechoslovakia. The latest programme in the Britain in the Thirties series highlights the remarkable contribution made by these refugees to our science and learning, particularly at the Clarendon and Cavent laboratories. BBC2, 9.30-10 pm.

Friday

JOHN MICEWEN/BRUCE McLEAN: John McEwen is a young Canadian scuiptor in a figurative tradition: most of his works are of animals, presented in out-steel silhouette. Bruce McLean has made a transition from performance art to painting and sculpture of a more traditional kind and this show consists of recent paintings and drawings. ICA, The Mail, London SW1 (930 0493). Until September 4 (McLean) and August 14 (McEwen), Tuesday to Sunday, noon to

PLAY IT AGAIN: More than 80 planos of all shapes and sizes go on sale today. Prices range from £80 to £4,000 and the items include a baby grand Challen piano which belonged to the late Arthur Askey; it is in a cream lacquered chinoiserie decorate case with a matching stool (£700-£900). Philips Marylebone, Hayes Place, Lisson Grove, London NW1 (723 2547), 10am.

DARK CIRCLE/IN THE KING OF PRUSSIA: A cinema double bill about the nuclear industry. Dark Circle (Cert PG) documents the proliferation of plutonium poisoning by nuclear wastes; in the King of Prussia (Cert U) is Emile de Antonio's dramatization of the trial of the Ploughshare's Eight, a group of Catholic activists who damaged a missile plant. Electric, Portobello Road, London W11

THE WINSLOW BOY The first major revival for 13 years of Terence Rattigan's classic trial drama. Jason Lake (son of Diana Dors) makes his stage debut in the trite role, with Alan MacNaughtan, Barbara Jefford and Diane Fletcher, Michael Rudman directs. Lyric Theatre, Hammersmith, W6 (741 2311). Press Night today at 7pm. Monday to Saturday at 7.45pm; matinées Thursday at 2.30pm, Saturday at 4pm. Until August 6.

CIVILISATION: As a tribute to Lord Kenneth Clark, who died recently, the BBC is repeating his award-winning "personal view" of the development of art and culture. The first programme, The Sidn of Our Teeth, deals with the Dark Ages. BBC2, 7.45-8.35pm.

which has been held at Alnwick for

centuries, by tradition from the last

Saturday in July. Market and craft

dancing in the square and streets.

dunking-stool and dwyle flunking (in which contestants can best

each other about the person with

wet mops!). Medieval costume is

generally worn and can be hired

Sunday in June until the first

stalls, traditional music and

Collecting

Pottery to perk up the masses

A sale of one man's collection of Clarice Cliff ceramics, the first ever representative of the whole of her work to be offered at suction, will take place at Christie's on June 29.

The pottery of Clarice Cliff is distinguished by its bright primary colours, bold outlines and patterns that range from the purely geometric to the almost Walt Disney-like fantasies of garden suburbs. She was born in the pottery town of Tunstall. Staffordshire, in 1899, so it was perhaps inevitable that she would apply her talent for sketching to the design of ceramics. The industrial North was, at the time, a grey, dull place. A longing for warmth and sunlight must have been keenly felt by Clarice as a child. When she was working as a

lithographer for A. J. Wilkinson & Co in the early 1920s, her artistic talents were recognized by the managing director - her husband to be, Colley Shorter, Geometric designs distinguished her first range, which was called appropriately "Bizarre". Her designs for tableware and decorative objects deliberately cast off staid-ness. From 1928 until the outbreak of war, ideas streamed from her fertile imagination, which gave birth to an everchanging kaleidoscope of pat-tern and shapes dressed in sun yellow, flame orange, grass green and summer sky blue. Patterns with cheerful names such as "Inspiration", "Rain-bow" and "Delicia", were painted on to novel shapes called "Daffodil", "Lotus", and Biamitz".

Not only did Clarice know how to push her talents to the timits, but she was a great businesswoman, too. Her advertising, display and sales

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Picture on the wall: Piaque of Lucerne

techniques reflected her awareness of the need for her goods to be useful, versatile, accessible and modestly priced.

One of her outstanding achievements, however, was not a commercial success. In collaboration with Harrods, she mounted an exhibition of her tableware, decorated by British artists such as Duncan Grant. Vanessa Bell, Paul Nash, Laura Knight and Graham Sutherland. Special sets, limited to 12 and produced as first editions, bore a facsimile of the artist's signature, the date, and Clarice however, these pieces are appreciated by collectors, not only for their designs, but also for the spirit in which they were

Christie's present policy is to promote all good twentiethcentury fine and decorative an, and the pottery of Clarice Cliff has thus, at last, found its way into the limelight. With 165 lots, estimated at prices which, range from £50 to £500 each, the sale should realize an appreciable sum, and it is extraordinary to recall that only three years before her death in 1973, these same plates, vases and tea sets could be bought for mere shillings in street markets.

At a recent Sotheby's sale, an American dealer paid a record price of nearly £700 for a single, large "Bizarre" vase. In the past few years, it has become fashionable in the United States for the wealthy and famous to own choice items, and this has been reflected in present prices, which may well rise further.

Jacqueline Pruskin

Happy days in dire straits

would have suggested, respect- smiled, wished us a good day fully, that they had water on the and told us to have the boat brain. I had nothing against back by about six - seven hours narrow boats; but like gypsy away. As an afterthought he caravans, they were the stuff of advised us to allow 6ft when television documentaries. Apart passing another boat. Having

swapping one restricted area for another held little charm. of us did. The Old English

no way was this venture going

from which, with builders at failed a driving test by giving present demolishing part of my exactly this amount of leeway to house so that we are all a wobbly cyclist, I suggested a temporarily squashed into a little more. Not if it's narrow—couple of rooms, the thought of you'll get stuck on the bank."

Half an hour later, with the sun beaming down on us, we So it was with some apprehension that we stepped on to the narrow boat. At least, some provided one didn't look back or think too hard about what prered through his fringe, one was doing. We passed shivered, and jumped off on to several boats, the time of day the jetty again and the boys said and bumped into nothing.

Cows and sheep and poppies and buttercups were all around. The owner of Braunston down to the lapping water's Boats, Northants, a brisk edge where mailards and moor-gentleman in a beard and tartan hens bobbed. Ducklings who shirt, explained how to start, looked certain to be run down stop, accelerate and reverse the scooted across the water, out of doft-long, streamlined boat - at our path, just in time. Church my request, several times. "We spires and windmills beckoned have hundreds of families of from hills and the wind varying degrees of ineptitude murmured ever so lightly in the every year and the vast majority willows...idyllic. At Napton

Saturday on the water front: manage", he said, looking me Judy Froshaug takes the family straight in the eye, defying me alloat on a narrow boat to deviate from the norm.

Had anyone told me last "Are you well insured?" I The invitable bearing to be proposed and breakfast is £39 per person until May 1984. Children under 12

allout on a narrow boat
Had anyone told me last "Are you well insured?" I
Saturday that by Sunday evensked. "Of course", he said. "If
when we tried to turn round. tree accommodation, meals as
when we tried to turn round. The inevitable happened sharing parents bedroom have ing I would be hooked on you get into real difficulties, when we tried to turn round, free accommodation, meals as narrow boats and canals, I phone this number." He tanned buffer in shorts easy us a day's big of a narrow boats. much huffing, puffing, poling and vaulting from boat to bank we were reluctantly, homeward If the idea of a canal holiday

appeals, the best way to find out you really would enjoy it is to fo as we did and give it a day's

day's him of a narrow host which hand, lots of advice and after costs £60 for up to four people (adults and/or children), £80 for up to eight. The weekend can be booked through the Three Horseshoes Hotel, Rugby (0788

4585) or through Porter Hotels Central Reservation: (08692 Next week in the Travel pages: Weekend break on the Thames



Narrow escape: a Bramston boat heads for a quiet cruise

OUTINGS

EXETER AIR DAY SILVER JUBILEE Exeter Airport, Clyst Honiton Exeter, Devon; today, from 11am; admission £2, children £1 High spots in the flying programme, which starts at 2.30pm are the Red Devils, Red Arrows, a Thunderbolt from the United States Air Force.

ground displays by the three services, side stalls, refreshments. RICHMOND AMATEUR REGATTA Buccleuch Gardens, Richmond Surrey: today 9.30am - 7pm Not quite Henley, but plenty of fun watching eights, fours and sculls.

number of Harriers in action, Also

1983 MILITARY MUSICAL Wembley Stadium, Wembley, Middlesex; today at 7.30pm; tickets £3 - £10 on 902 1234 or at

This biennial event - the blooest band show in the world - features more than 2,000 musicians and 50 British Army bands, playing traditional airs and music. Highlight of the evening is the costumed re-enactment of Wellington's victory it Vitoria in the Peninsula

MEDSLIMMER NIGHT'S DREAM Sudeley Castle, Winchcombe, Glourastershire: today, tomorr 7.30pm; seats £2.75, grass (bring Lovely surroundings and

coffee available in the interval. The grounds of the castle - though not the castle itself - will be open earlier in the day when you should arrive if you want to be sure of getting a proper seat; grass seating is plentiful. Spectators can bring their own picnics for before or after the performance.

appropriate timing for this play.

staurant opens at 6pm, wine and

WEEKEND AND TATTOO Herringthorpe Playing Fields Rotherham, South Yorkshire loday, from noon, tomorrow, from 10am; admission free, car park 30p, programme 20p A two-day event; military tattoo, band of The Royal Marines, White Helmets, Battle of Britain memorial fiv-past and on Sunday a vintage .car raily, Faicons paracture display and fly-past of the vintage pair.

GEM DAY Harewood, West Yorkshire; norrow, from 10am; admission Et, children 50p The Guild of Experienced Motorists, the largest driver road safety organization in the country, will be providing a full day's entertainment at Harewood tomorrow with manoeuvrability trials, motor cycle displays and monstrations by the Joint Emergency Services. Also free fall parachuting, hot air balloon, dog displays, steel band, square and

ALNWICK FAIR Market Place, Almwick, Northumberland; tomorrow-July 2. Re-enactment of the medieval fair

FAIRS

RICHMOND RENDEZVOUS Richmond Community Centre, 4 Sheen Road, Richmond, Surrey (994 7430). Today, 10am-5pm. dmission free Furniture, fine linens and lace, postcards, silver, art nouveau, clocks, glass; 30 stands.

REAL ALE Brentford, Middx (228 3005). Tomorrow, 10am-5pm. Admission 10p About 21 stands, including postcards, books. Fullers beer. Signposted.

Royal Welsh Showground, Builth Wells, Powys (05474 356). Tues, Wed (05474 356). 1 11am-8pm daily. Admission 75p, children 25p made salads, ploughman's

Mel Lewis

WELSH ANTIQUES Fourteenth Annual Weish Antiques Fair, Members' Pavilion,

Chess

Nobility bows to humble heart

Bridge

playing cards themselves. Perhaps the two hands I will describe would reassure them that the proletariat sometimes has a vital role to play. Teams: East-West Game. Dealer South.

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There is much to commend North's response of one dia-

ducked again, West continued with the \$\forall 2\$. It was East's turn to think. Adding his points to dummy's and declarer's announced 17 or 18 left West with at most one queen in addition to the heart honours he had already shown. West's lead of sition.

It has been suggested that one explanation of official Russian disapproval of bridge stems from the royalist imagery of the playing cards themselves. On the next hand, it was the declarer who should have appreciated the significance of a Rubber Bridge: North-South

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Game + 40. Dealer South.

persisted with the VQ when South ducked. When South ducked again West expenses are the O2 and the declarer won with the ace. He rattled off all his cards having the open than the open West led the OK, East played his cards hoping to bring about the "golf club squesze", a play with no technical merit but sometimes successful against duffers who cannot count up to 13. This time it was unlikely to succeed as he was playing against international

"Devilish duplication hearts", he muttered as he cut for the next hand. But even without West's overcall, East's tricks, but could not establish a play of the two of diamonds ninth without letting West on lead to cash his hearts.

Out the next tend of the pointer to the winning line of play. If declarer assumes, as he surely should, that West has five diamonds and East one, the contract is cast iron, provided that East has at least four spades. Declarer draws two rounds of trumps, cashes the ace and king of spades, and ruffs a spade, leaving this seven-card

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Declarer cashes the two too hearts, and crosses to dummy with the #J. Now when he plays the \$4, East is left on play with the \$10, while declarer discards one of his losing diamonds. East is then forced to concede a ruff and discard, which permits declarer to dispose of his other

How champions were made to meet their match Until the World Chess Feder-

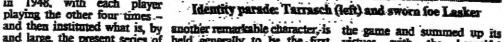
world championship events shortly after the end of the Second World War, contests for the world title were haphazard affairs with the essentially unfair and unsatisfactory system of the reigning champion choosing his opponent, almost irrespective of the strength of the opposition he provided But when Alexander Alekhine died in possession of the title in 1946, FIDE first held an eliminatory contest to decide who was fit to play for the tifle, then held the title tournament in 1948, with each player playing the other four times .and large, the present series of

so desired, avoid meeting his player. strongest rival. That on the Lasker's chief rival during the whole he tended not to do so is latter part of the nineteenth

Perhaps the most remarkable of all was Wilhelm Steinitz, the about the game.

Austrian-Jewish genius and But bitter quarrels developed which permits or all was wintern otening, the spose of his other Austrian-Jewish genius and originator of the very term world champion. His match in 1866 against Adolf Anderssen, white wonderfully well about column he was pictured mas-





and large, the present series of held generally to be the first virtues with the beautiful world championship contest sentence "chess, like love, like Clearly this system is better and he held the title until 1894 music, has the power to make

excel him was in his writing tunities for repeating those fatal



than the previous one in which when he was beaten by Ema-man happy, wrote in vinegar the world champion could, if he muel Lasker, an even greater about Lasker. There came a time when he was so angry that Lasker's chief rival during the he had little more to say to his opponent "From now on", he perhaps a tribute to the ideal century and early years of the declared, "I have only two nature of the game and also to the remarkable character of the remarkable character of those who were world champions.

Decharacter the most analysis of the declared, "I have only two twentieth was Sieghert Tarwords to say to you. Here the though the was proved no for his threats, it was Lasker match for Lasker. Where he did who found the better oppon-

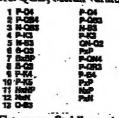
querading as Lasker. Un-fortunately I did not see the Levenfish at Moscow 1936. photograph before publication; Capablanca used it and won an it was acquired from a photographic agency and marked clearly as "Lasker". This is not the first time that Tarrasch has usurped his old foe in print the same picture with the same caption also appeared in C.H.O.D. Alexander's A Book of Chess (1973).

Somewhere, I imagine, either up or down there, the two great men are engaged in a slanging match about The Times ... newspapers, unlike love, unlike music, have the power to make

men unhappy.

Tarrasch would have approved of Ribli's play in this the sixth game of his match with Torre at Alicante, though I can well imagine how caustic he would have been about some of Torre's moves.

White: Z. Ribli. Black E. Torre. QGD, Meran variation.



elegant and beautiful brilliancy.

Levenfish played the awkward looking 13... R-R4 and got into trouble after 14 0-0 P-N5. 15 B-KB4 B-K2, 16 KR-B1 0-0. 17 B-N5ch.

14 0-0 16 B-KB4 If 15 ... 0-0. 16 NxP! 16 Hot After 16... QxN. 17 P-QR4 is very strong.

If 18... RxB (Q3). 19 Q-KN3 also wins.

19 OR-61 This loses out of hand; he should have played 19... R - Q4 when 20 QxR PxQ: 21 KR-K1ch N-K4, 22 RxNch K-Q2. 23 RxP K-K3. 24 RxP should still win for White but Black can put up further resistance.

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The move Stahlberg showed